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GERMANS ORDER ANOTHER ATTACK ON ITALIAN FRONT

Ludendorff Visits Trentino And Directs Preparations Be Rushed

BRING UP TROOPS

Large Austrian Reinforcements Being Concentrated At Two Points

HOW ITALIANS WON

Fierce Fighting In Bogs Before Piave Delta Was Cleared

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, July 8.—A message from Turin states that General Von Ludendorff recently visited the Trentino and ordered preparations for a new Austrian offensive to be hastened. Large Austrian reinforcements have been concentrated at Innsbruck and Trent. The Swiss frontier has been closed.

Reuter's correspondent at Italian headquarters, describing the fighting which preceded the expulsion of the Austrians from the delta of the Piave, states that the Austrians, being unable to dig entrenchments in the water-logged soil, filled thirty square miles of marshland with machine-gun posts which could only be approached from the front along the tops of the dykes, and converted the scattered houses into fortresses.

Fierce Fighting in Bogs

The troops left to defend the delta were mostly Mussulman Bosnians who resisted very desperately. Four columns of Bersaglieri and sailors were assigned the task of breaking up the enemy defences. They fought continually up to their waists in water. Both sides often lost their weapons in the bogs and fought with their hands and feet. Astounding feats were performed by the Arditi in the closing phases of the battle. Armed with long poles they cleared the obstacles before them, landed in the rear of the enemy machine-gunners and drove their daggers into their backs.

A company of Bersaglieri rushed and captured a battery of four-inch guns while another company, preceded by flame-throwers, stormed a factory in face of forty machine-guns, and took all the officers prisoners.

Altogether 1,800 machine-guns were captured in the delta while hundreds more lie buried in the swamps or ruins of the demolished buildings.

Vienna Announces Retirement

An Austrian official communique reports:

The Italians are attacking with strong forces against our west wing on the middle and lower Vojusa in Albania. We withdrew our advanced posts in the valley to our main positions.

Rome, July 8.—An official communique reports:

By small actions we gained ground northward of Grappa and extended our advanced occupation in the region of Col Caprile.

The French and Italians between the coast and Tomorica Valley, in Albania, began an operation on the 6th which is developing satisfactorily. The prisoners already exceed 1,000.

SPAIN ORDERS SECRECY ON SHIP MOVEMENTS

Is First Step Taken By Cabinet Under New Espionage Law

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Madrid, July 9.—As the first application of the Espionage Law, the Ministry has prohibited publication of news of the movements of merchantmen.

Germans Make No Response To Allied Blow On Somme

French Attack South Of Aisne, Taking 1,200 Yards On Front Of Two Miles

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, July 9.—Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reports this morning:

The Londoners carried out a successful raid eastward of Arras in which they took a few prisoners.

The enemy's artillery has been active against the positions we recently captured southward of the Somme.

Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters reports today:

The spell of dry weather was broken last night in violent thunderstorms, ending in a terrific hailstorm.

The only retaliation the enemy has attempted up to the present for the Australian success at Villers-Bretonneux has taken the form of heavy minenwerfer fire. The prisoners captured in this sector pay high tribute to the weight and accuracy of our shell-fire, in consequence of which they had been without rations for two days with the result that their morale had been sensibly lowered.

Australians Advance Lines

Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reported yesterday morning:

The Australians advanced their line slightly on a front of 3,000 yards on both sides of the Somme, capturing some prisoners.

Scottish troops took a few prisoners in a successful raid southward of the La Bassee Canal.

The Australians entered the enemy trenches eastward of Hazebrouck and brought back prisoners.

The hostile artillery has been active on both sides of the Somme, following our operations, and also westward of Beaumont-Hamel and in the neighborhood of Bethune.

Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig wires this evening that there is nothing to report beyond a few local encounters. We took a few prisoners.

Hazy weather yesterday interfered with work in the air. Seven German aeroplanes were destroyed, four driven down out of control, and three British machines are missing.

We dropped sixteen tons of bombs during the daytime and the following night, the principal targets attacked being Ostend docks and the railways at Tournai and Courtrai.

French Bite Off Big Piece

Paris, July 8.—The official communique issued this afternoon reported that there has been artillerying between Villers-Cotterets Forest and the Marne.

The official communique issued this evening reports:

South of the Aisne we attacked this morning the German positions in the approaches of Retz Forest, northwest of Longpont. On a front of three kilometers we advanced 1,200 yards, captured Chavigny Farm and the ridges north and south of the farm, and took 347 prisoners.

Fourteen enemy machines were brought down or disabled on the 6th and 7th, and two balloons set on fire.

Raids on German Cities

London, July 8.—Air Ministry official:

We attacked the station and factories at Kaiser-Lautern yesterday. Hostile machines were engaged over the objectives. One hostile machine was shot down and two British machines are missing.

Today our squadrons bombed the railway station, workshops and sidings at Luxembourg. Bursts were observed in the station and workshops.

ARREST AMERICAN HERE UNDER ESPIONAGE ACT

U. S. Authorities Act Against Mr. D. L. McCoy; Letter Criticising Government Cause

The first local action under the United States Espionage law occurred yesterday when Mr. D. L. McCoy, 12 Studley Avenue, was arrested on a warrant issued under the new federal statute. Mr. McCoy, who is connected with Messrs. Andersen, Meyer was admitted to $500 bail on appearance before American Vice-Consul Tenney and will probably appear for preliminary hearing in the Consular Court tomorrow or next day. He has engaged counsel and it is said will waive the preliminary hearing and stand trial in the United States Court.

Certain statements made by Mr. McCoy in a letter to his mother and construed by the censor as criticism of the Government are understood to be the reason for the action taken. The young man expressed the utmost astonishment at his arrest and protested his entire loyalty to the American Government. His fellow workers and acquaintances also were astounded over the incident and all are emphatic in vouching for his patriotism and steadfastness in the American and Allied cause.

When seen last night, Mr. McCoy refused to comment on the case as it is in the hands of his attorneys, Messrs. Fleming and Davies.

"It is like a thunderbolt out of a clear sky and I can not understand it for I am sure that there is no question as to my being a loyal American," he said.

It is known that Mr. McCoy, who is a Yale man, has offered his services in the Yale Military Intelligence Unit and he expected to be allowed to serve in the unit because of his proficiency in French. Consul-General Thomas Sammons recommended him to the Yale authorities.

Mr. McCoy also offered his services for war work through the American Consul and attempted to register for the draft, it is learned. He was refused, as have been many other Americans here, because he had no birth certificate, one of the requirements of the Consular authorities.

The Weather

Damp and hot. The maximum temperature yesterday was 89.2 and the minimum 71.4, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 93.6 and 77.7.

WOOSUNG ROAD CAUSES BOOM IN REAL ESTATE

Speculators Buying Up Property Along Projected 12-Mile Highway

Real estate along the Main River Dyke, along which the 12-mile-road between Shanghai and Woosung will be built, is booming. Agents are busily canvassing the country owners for their concession, while the latter are holding out for high prices. Certain Ningpo merchants have launched a huge weaving and dying factory near the Chiu Kiang (Creek,) occupying more than 30 mow of land. Construction on the factory has already begun and it is expected that the machinery will be installed and ready for operation before the end of the year.

At a meeting attended by General Lu Yung-hsiang, Mr. Tsao Lu-ping, chairman of Chapei municipal council; Mayor Shen Pao-chang of the Shanghai City and the Paoshan magistrate, it was decided to leave the financial end of the work to Mr. Tsao. It is understood Mr. Tsao has already obtained the support of several Cantonese merchants in financing the highway, which will cost, aside from the pay for he soldier laborers, considerably more than Tls. 100,000 for the materials and the two bridges across the Chiu Kiang and the Chien Kai Pang. These will have to be reinforced concrete. It is estimated that the one across Chiu Kiang will cost Tls. 10,000, while the other Tls. 3,000.

The surveying of the road began yesterday in the neighborhood of the Shanghai Baptist College.

Concession To Holland Criticised In London

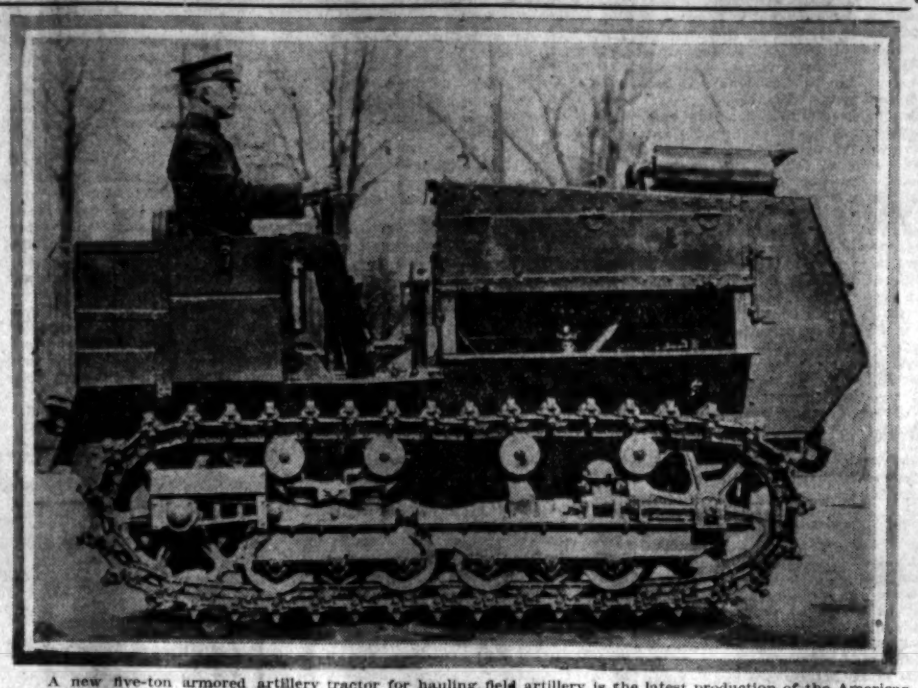
Times Says Waiving Of Right Of Search Of Dutch Convoy Is Humiliating

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, July 8.—Mr. Gibson Bowles, in a letter to the Times, denounces the concession made by the British Government with regard to the Dutch convoy as a return to the Declaration of London. He asks whether the Allies concur, remarking that if they do not then the convoy is liable to search by Japanese or U.S. warships, and also to attack by German submarines unless Germany has also guaranteed immunity, which would be a privilege which has not been enjoyed by a neutral in any war.

The Times, in an editorial, describes the communique issued by the Foreign Office regarding the convoy as humiliating and unintelligible, and says that the Government has established a precedent which will be cited against it.

New American Armored Cannon Tractor



A new five-ton armored artillery tractor for hauling field artillery is the latest production of the American Army Ordnance Bureau. It has proved tremendously successful in the official tests.

FORESTRY LOAN TERMS ARE GIVEN OUT IN PEKING

Amount Is Y.30,000,000, With Kirin And Heilungkiang Resources As Security

Reuter's Pacific Service

Peking, July 10.—The following are stated to be the terms of the Forestry Loan:

Amount, Y.30,000,000; Interest, 7½ percent; Repayable Five years; Commission, Nil; Security, the forests and mines of Kirin and Heilungkiang.

After payment of the loan the Chinese Government should organise a company, in conjunction with Japanese, for the development of the forests and mines of North Manchuria.

In connection with the formation of the above company, it is understood that a supplementary agreement makes the following stipulation.

Half the capital shall be provided by the banks participating in the loan.

The details of the formation of the company shall be decided by representatives of the two contracting parties according to the precedents of the Yalu River Lumber Company and the Tien-Paoshan Silver Mine Company.

If China is unable to repay the loan at the time of the establishment of the Company, the said loan shall be considered as capital advanced by the Japanese banks and if it does not amount to half the whole capital the banks shall make up the difference.

If China floats a loan in order to secure capital for the company, the Japanese banks shall float it wholly or in part.

A Chinese News Agency states that in order to quell opposition ten millions of the loan will be paid to the authorities of Fengtien, Kirin and Heilungkiang while the remainder will be paid to the Central Government

KAISER AND MILITARISTS DENOUNCED IN REICHSTAG

Have No Idea Of Misery Of German Masses, Socialist Deputy Declares

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Amsterdam, July 8.—In the Reichstag the Central Deputy, Herr Matzinger, drew attention to the grave food situation.

The Socialist Deputy, Herr Wels, said that certain circles, including the Kaiser, had no idea of the misery of the masses, forty-seven percent of whom earned under 4 marks a day. He finally declared that a shortening of the war would be a greater economic gain than the conquest of any province.

The speeches made in the Reichstag by Herr Matzinger and Herr Wels were in reply to an announcement made by the Food Dictator that the harvest would not fulfill anticipations and meatless weeks would be necessary.

UKRAINE CABINET QUITS

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Amsterdam, July 8.—The Ukrainian Government has resigned.

Roosevelt Invited To Come To Ireland

Asked By Head Of Recruiting Campaign To Help Get Volunteers

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, July 9.—Colonel Lynch has written to Theodore Roosevelt inviting him to come to Ireland to help in the recruiting campaign. He says he would like Marshal Joffre and a contingent of French heroes to visit Ireland.

Tang Shao-yi Trying To Get Japanese Loan?

Negotiating For Southern Government, Chinese Minister In Tokio Charges

Reuter's Pacific Service

Peking, July 10.—The Chinese Minister at Tokio reports that Mr. Tang Shao-yi, on behalf of the Canton Government, has been negotiating with the Japanese for a loan and it is understood that he has offered several mines in Kwangtung and Kwangsi as security and that he is also endeavoring to purchase arms and ammunition for the use of the rebels.

The Chinese Minister requests the Central Government to take steps to prevent these negotiations reaching a successful conclusion.

WAR MUST CONTINUE, SAYS BERLIN VORWAERTS

Wilson And Churchill Both Show Desire For Military Victory, It Declares

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Amsterdam, July 8.—The Vorwaerts says that President Wilson and Mr. Winston Churchill both make the decisive military victory of the Allies a prerequisite of peace, and therefore the Germans must continue the struggle until the Allies are convinced that peace can only come by understanding.

Irish Soldier Tried On Treason Charge

Corporal Caught Landing From German Submarine Is Under Court-Martial

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, July 8.—Lance-Corporal Dowling, who was arrested in Ireland after landing from a German submarine, is being tried in London by court-martial. The charges were that, while a prisoner of war in the German camp at Limburg, he joined the Irish Brigade raised by the Germans, endeavored to induce others to join and also attempted to aid the enemy by landing in Ireland.

GROWING OF POPPY HAS SPREAD TO KANSU

Central Government Instructs Tuchun To Investigate And Destroy Crops

Reuter's Pacific Service

Peking, July 10.—The Military Governor of Kansu telegraphs that, owing to the large profits made by the cultivation of poppy in Shensi, the Mongolians in the more secluded districts of Kansu have commenced to grow opium.

The Central Government has instructed the Military Governor of Kansu to institute an investigation and to destroy all poppy discovered.

INCREASE OF ARMY PLANNED BY JAPAN

Twenty-One Corps Of 126 Regiments Reported To Be Size Of New Force

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, July 8.—The Tokio correspondent of the Times, wiring on the 1st, states that the Council of Field Marshals and Admirals has decided on a plan for the co-operation of the army and navy and has approved, in principle, increasing the army to twenty-one corps of forty-two divisions or 126 regiments.

HISTORIC NAVY RELIC TO BE SOLD FOR B.W.W.A.

Other Valuable Articles, Donated By British Women, To Be Auctioned Off

A copper quart measure retrieved from the wreck of the British ship Defense, which was lost at the beginning of the last century, will be sold at auction for the benefit of the British Women's Work Association at the Race Club tomorrow night. The measure was given to the Association by a neutral subject.

Other valuable articles will be sold for the benefit of the Association funds, including a Persian carpet purchased in Constantinople and donated by Lady de Sausmarez; a valuable mandarin opera cloak, the gift of Lady Fraser; a diamond ring, donated by Mrs. Blix; pair of English candelabra from a member of the Association and a Canton ivory and silk fan, donated by Mrs. Kingsley. The diamond ring is on exhibition at Hirsbrunner and Company and the other articles are in Lane, Crawford and Company's window.

Mr. F. J. Burrett will act as auctioneer and the sale will commence at 10.30 o'clock. An energetic committee has been working hard on the entertainment program, which will be announced today and there will be dancing.

Over $7,000 has been received in compradore orders sent out by Lady de Sausmarez and it is expected that the $50,000 necessary to eliminate the Association debt will be subscribed by the end of the week.

MOSCOW UNDER STATE OF SIEGE; BATTLE FOUGHT

German Minister's Assassination Is Followed By A New Crisis

DETAILS LACKING

Socialists' Object Is To Force Annulment Of Brest-Litovsk Peace

LENIN APOLOGISES

Bolsheviki Make Abject Efforts To Placate Hostility In Berlin

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Amsterdam, July 8.—A message from Berlin states that the murderers of Count von Mirbach took shelter in a building occupied by the Social Revolutionaries which was defended by machine-guns. The impression is growing that the murder was a signal for a big revolt of the Social Revolutionaries, fighting with whom is occurring in Moscow. Details are lacking.

Bales, July 9.—Messages from Berlin say that a state of siege was proclaimed in Moscow on the 7th.

The railwaymen refused to strike as requested by the Socialists on the eve of the revolt, and the station, telegraphs and postoffice were captured from the Socialists by the Bolsheviki yesterday morning. The leaders arrested include Spiridovna, who confessed that Count von Mirbach was murdered by the Terrorist members of the party in order to provoke the annulment of the Brest-Litovsk treaty. The rumors of a revolution in Petrograd and Jaroslav are denied by the Government.

Lenin Makes Apology

London, July 7.—A Russian wireless message states that Lenin, the Bolshevik leader, informing the Ambassador at Berlin, Ioffe, of the murder of the German Ambassador at Moscow, Count von Mirbach, orders him to visit Baron von Kuhlmann, the German Minister for Foreign Affairs, immediately and to express the indignation of the Bolshevik Government regarding the outrage.

The wireless message states that Lenin, Sverlofer, Tchitcherin and Karahan, on receipt of the news, immediately assured the chief of the German mission that extraordinary measures had been taken for the discovery of the murderers, the whole quarter in which the German embassy is situated being immediately surrounded with troops and severe control established over arrivals and departures from the town.

A plenipotentiary extraordinary will be despatched to Berlin to express the indignation of the Bolshevik Government at the assassination.

It is significant that reports are appearing in the German press of Bolshevik cruelties at Baku, which were alleged to necessitate a German occupation of this rich district.

Moscow Rising Suppressed

London, July 8.—(By wireless).—A Russian official message states that a counter-revolutionary rising of the Left Social revolutionaries in Moscow has been suppressed and several hundred of them have been arrested.

Reuter's agency learns that, according to trustworthy Japanese sources in Russia, the Czecho-Slovak army is much stronger than was at first supposed, and is now providing the rallying point for the majority of the non-Bolshevik element.

The Czecho-Slovak force at Vladivostok numbers 15,000, besides the reinforcements despatched to Irkutsk.

Paris, July 8.—Le Petit Journal states that Count von Mirbach, when at the German Legation at Athens, was the real Premier of Greece and with the assistance of the notorious Dr. Schenk caused all the misfortunes which occurred to General Sarrail's army. He was sent to Russia to act in a similar capacity.

Czechs Occupy Nikolsk

Reuter's Pacific Service

Tokio, July 9.—The Czech troops now occupying Nikolsk are preparing

to attack Khabarovsk. They are visibly gaining in strength. Their final objective is believed to be Irkutsk, where the Soviet forces are concentrated in case of actual conflict fierce fighting cannot be avoided.

It is reported that the Czechs are applying to the Entente Powers for help but nothing has been decided by the latter.

Harbin, July 8.—Reliable information states that the Bolsheviki at Nikolsk have all fled to Khabarovsk, taking with them all their rolling stock and engines.

According to news from Irkutsk, the Bolsheviki left that town sometime ago and are now concentrating their forces in the region of Verhne-Udinsk.

General Horvath left Harbin yesterday evening for Nikolsk. He is accompanied by General Flug, Vostrotin and the other members of the new Government which it is intended will be constructed when they reach Russian territory.

COMMONS DOES HONOR TO THE KING AND QUEEN

Address Congratulating Their Majesties On Silver Wedding To Be Presented

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, July 8.—In the House of Commons today Mr. Lloyd George moved that an address be presented to Their Majesties congratulating them on their silver wedding, warmly treating Their Majesties unfailing devotion to duty and expressing the loyal affection with which the British people throughout the whole world welcomed the anniversary of so felicitous a union, and their earnest prayer for the continuance of Their Majesties' health and happiness for many years.

The Premier paid a tribute to the beauty, simplicity and purity of Their Majesties' home life, their invariable kindliness, sympathy and unwearying devotion to duty by means of which they exercised an influence which could not be assessed on the hundreds of millions of the Empire who instinctively look to the throne for a pattern.

He also paid a tribute to the King's undaunted courage and constant thought for the soldiers and sailors, and Their Majesties' solicitude for the wounded and bereaved. The British people would never forget these things.

Their Majesties had encouraged and inspired war workers. When thrones were tottering and falling in other lands, the British throne was more firmly established than ever on the only foundation, namely, the lasting affection and goodwill of the people. No sovereigns had ever won a more assured position in the hearts of their subjects. This was a matter of imperial moment. The stability of the throne was essential to the strength of the Empire for it was not only the symbol but the bond of unity.

Mr. Asquith paid a tribute to the unwearying tact with which the King strove for peace in July 1914.

The resolution was passed unanimously amid cheers.

Replying to the address of congratulation from the Imperial Conference stating that their silver wedding has been an occasion for testifying to the constant and increasing affection of their people at home and overseas. Their Majesties say, "No congratulations are more warmly appreciated. We pray that peace will soon be restored, bringing reunion of the home life which is the basis of the wellbeing of the Empire."

Dead Men Te'l Tales With Finger Prints

Alleged Murderer Caught Through Clew Given By Victim's Own Body

Finger prints of a man murdered in an alleyway off Hupeh Road some weeks ago were responsible for the arrest of a Chinese believed to be the murderer and the case will be heard at the Mixed Court next Monday.

The dead man was found by a Chinese. The police notified but he could not be identified. Finger prints were taken, showing him to be a notorious criminal with five convictions and expulsion from the Settlement.

Clever work by Chinese detectives rounded up his companions. Sufficient evidence was found to hold one of the men and he has been charged with the crime.

Police Sent To Get Russians In Tientsin

Prisoners Will Be Charged With Implication In Consular Seal Forgeries

Shanghai detectives, sent to Tientsin by request of the Russian Consulate General, will return here Saturday morning with two Russians, believed to be implicated in the forging of Russian Consulate seals.

The men have been arrested in Tientsin for the local detectives who reached the northern city yesterday afternoon.

They are to be brought before the Russian Consular Court where statements will be taken, but will be sent to Harbin for court martial proceedings, if sufficient evidence can be introduced to show that the men are concerned in the forging of the seals.

PEKING CABINET DOING QUITE WELL, THANK YOU

In Fact, Some Of The Government Heads Feel Able To Retire Now

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Peking, July 6.—It is rumored that another big loan is being engineered with Japanese capitalists, this time for the relief of the note issue of the two Government Banks. The amount of the loan is said to be about $60,000,000, and the banks themselves, with all their assets, consisting in no small measure of Government I.O.U's. or the equivalent thereof, are to be pledged as security. The mere rumor is already arousing intense indignation, and surely not without cause.

The position appears to be somewhat as follows: Some months ago, when the Allied Powers consented temporarily to forego the payment of amounts due on the Boxer indemnities, arrangements were made for setting aside the bulk of this money for the redemption of the notes of the two Government banks. There is no need to go into the details of the arrangement, as they were never carried out, owing to the opposition of the commercial classes. Instead, a new arrangement was effected whereby the Government issued short term bonds, partly covered by the "Customs Bills" as they were sometimes called, that is to say, by what were practically postdated cheques on the Customs funds. The immediate effect of this arrangement was to send up the market price of the notes of the two banks, several points. The higher price was maintained for some time, but it has since dropped as low as ever it has been, as the domestic loan has not been enthusiastically taken up. The reason for this is obvious; the credit of the Government has been so damaged by recent financial transactions that Government bonds are not regarded as very good security.

The notes of the two banks being again at a very low ebb, the Government has hit on the expedient of borrowing again in Japan, and allegedly using the proceeds of the loan for the improvement of the credit of the two banks. However, the borrowing process is described as a curious one. The Government is not going to borrow actual cash from Japan, but only notes. These notes are to be issued in Peking, and their value covered by funds actually held in Japan. In other words, the market is to be flooded with a new lot of notes, which report puts at anything from sixty to ninety million dollars' worth, the specie reserve for which is to be retained in Japanese hands, without the Chinese authorities ever seeing even the color of the money. Practically, it is the confidence trick on a large scale. The Government seems to have decided to gamble away every available asset, and having reduced its credit almost to vanishing point it is disposing of even its credit; for from the moment this deal is put through, if ever it is put through, the Government will have no credit of its own left and will be entirely dependent on the credit of the Japanese group that is lending money so freely.

And this is the Government that is talking of sending two or three army corps to fight in Siberia or Europe or some other place! It will soon not have enough money to buy revenue stamps to put on its loan agreements. The crash is sure to come sooner or later; but the present Government cares nothing for the crash. Two of its members are so enormously wealthy that they confidently expect to retire from business permanently within a few months, whereafter they will live probably in Japan. Two other members, men of more moderate ambition, are said to have bought fine houses at Tsingtao; and one other is planning a great tour of the European battlefields when the War is over. The President, having, it is said, done quite handsomely recently, is finding the burden of state too much for him; and he will be willing enough to retire after the next presidential election. There has probably never been a Government in Chinese history so roundly accused of corruption as is the present one.

Shanghai Policeman Decorated In France

Sergeant E. L. Gladwish, Who Left Here In 1914, Awarded Distinguished Conduct Medal

Sergeant E. L. Gladwish, who left Shanghai in October, 1914, to enlist, has been awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal, according to a letter from Trooper G. G. Phillips, 1st King Edward Horse, who was a constable of the Shanghai Municipal Police before he left here to join the British army.

Sergeant Gladwish is with Squad A, 3rd Troop, First King Edward Horse, somewhere in France. Up to 1914, he was a police sergeant here, at the Central and Bubbling Well Stations and left Shanghai with the first contingent.

New Swedish Minister In Tokio To Have Audience

Mr. Bergstrom, Successor To Mr. Wallenberg, To Be Received By Emperor

Reuter's Pacific Service

Tokio, July 9.—The new Swedish Minister, Mr. Bergstrom, will be received in audience and will present his credentials tomorrow.

News Brevities

Mr. Edward White of the Municipal Council and Mrs. White left Shanghai yesterday for Japan.

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The resignation of Mrs. W. L. Merriman from the Foreign Educational Committee is reported in the Municipal Gazette.

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The case of Gordius Nielson versus the Shanghai Club will be called today in the British Supreme Court.

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The Society for Constructive Endeavor will meet tomorrow evening at 5 o'clock at the garden of Mr. Julean Arnold, 405 Avenue Joffre. Important business will come up.

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Mr. T. H. U. Aldridge, engineer-in-chief of the municipal electricity department, has been elected a fellow of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers.

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The aide of General Lu Yung-hsiang, Chow Fung-chun, convicted of smuggling opium at Nanking and sentenced to life imprisonment, was sent to Peking yesterday to begin serving his sentence.

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Thomas Cook and Son have issued their summer holiday program of tours to points in China, Japan, Korea and Manchuria. The booklet contains comprehensive data regarding ocean and rail service, hotel accommodations, side trips and the like.

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One thousand cases of ammunition arrived from the Tehchow Arsenal Tuesday on the Shanghai-Nanking Railway. They will be kept temporarily at the Lunghua Arsenal and will be used in the campaign against Kwangtung.

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Two Chinese junks were sunk Tuesday and yesterday morning on the Whangpoo. No lives were lost. A Chinese torpedo boat rammed and sank a salt boat yesterday and the Hua Ta collided Tuesday with a rice ship, conveying 160 bags, and caused the latter's sinking. The cargo belongs to the Chuan Da Rice Shop in Nantao.

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A Chinese was charged yesterday in the Mixed Court with selling Macao lottery tickets to an amah. The case was remanded because the police wished to find out whether these tickets were forged or not. It is alleged by the prosecution that the accused also had some French Red Cross tickets for sale and it was suspected that he was selling the Macao tickets under cover of the French lottery tickets.

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Two Chinese were sentenced to a fine of $10 each yesterday in the Mixed Court for not knowing their business. A chauffeur confessed he could not drive a car while a mafoo did not know how to control a restive horse. The chauffeur was charged with failure to obey the police orders when he was asked to move his car away from a certain street. He said that he was simply requested by his master to watch the car while the latter went shopping. The mafoo was charged with reckless driving and causing a collision with a ricsha hauling a foreign lady and child. The accused said he was asked by a small mafoo to look after the horse and carriage. The horse became restive and he did not know what to do.

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SZECHUEN THROWN OPEN TO POPPY CULTIVATION

Being Grown Only 40 Miles From Chengtu And Other Places

China Press Correspondence

Chengtu, June 25.—Among the many changes that have taken place in Szechuen since the Southerners gained the ascendency not the least is the reintroduction of opium. In the province proper the growth of the poppy had been entirely stopped. If smoking still continued it was done in secret. Opium dens were forbidden, the police and officials hunted out the dealers and opium was getting so scarce that the time was distinctly in sight when no matter how high the price offered no one would be able to buy it.

Now everything has veered round the other way. Opium is grown in the hills only 40 miles from Chengtu. At Kienchow it has just been harvested. At Penghsien and other places the farmers are scraping the poppy bulbs even now. On the border at Songpan, Tifan, Mongkong, Muhping and in the Lolo Country a huge crop is being raised. In the first three mentioned places hordes of Chinese are collecting the poison and presently the Chengtu plain and adjacent districts will be flooded with it.

Opium dens again open indiscriminately. In one large city the Chief of Police is an inveterate opium smoker. In another the Military Commander levies a daily tax of 800 cash on every opium pipe in the dens. And, indeed, every place has again these miserable houses. Many are asking, whatever is the government going to turn to?

The prospects of a good rice crop this fall are very rosy. Rain has fallen in abundance. There are no unplanted fields. At present rice is very dear. It has reached the hitherto unknown figure of $1.50 per "tou" of 32 catties. This is exactly double what it was at the time of the revolution, and a half more that the cost of last September.

The Chengtu foreigners, ever ready to subscribe to the various war charities, arranged a tennis tournament lately in aid of the suffering Belgians. Although a number were out of the city at the time yet a large number entered as players. The British and French Consul-Generals took keen interest in its progress. The latter presented silver sweetmeat dishes to the winners.

Mr. J. N. Ferguson of the B. and F. Bible Society has just left for Shanghai. It is understood that his family go home to Canada while he remains in China to give the benefit of his services to the Salt Gabelle. Mr. Ferguson has been in China for about 25 years and was our most widely traveled missionary. Some years ago he made extensive journeys on the Western border, visiting many places among the tribes men that up to that time had been unknown. For this he was rewarded by being made a member of the Royal Geographical Society. Mr. G. M. Franck has come to take Mr. Ferguson's place.

Quite a number of the missionaries have already left for the hills. Some, however, have elected to stay to run a summer bible school at the Union University. Preachers and missionary helpers are coming to it from all the various missions except the C. M. S. who prefer to run an exclusive one in their own district. It is anticipated that much enthusiasm will be evoked by this Union School and the native missionaries of the different denominations will have an excellent opportunity of benefiting from the experience of their brethren.

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Unassigned U.S. Officers Welcome An Opportunity For Emergency Combat

They Frequently Get A Chance To Fight, Because They Are Not Attached To Regular Units, And Win High Praise—Interesting War Animal Stories

By Martin Green
(*New York Evening World*)

An American Front in France, May 9.—At various points along the western front American officers detailed to special work, such as instruction in British schools of warfare at the front, control of tanks, transportation for air service and observation, have taken active part in hostilities recently. Although not assigned to combat duty with the British, they jumped in and did their share whenever and wherever the opportunity offered. A majority of them are reserve officers without previous experience in anything but theoretical warfare. They are not attached to our units which are working with the French Army.

Owing to the wide extent of the German advance, the British front has been touched at all points and American officers have found themselves unexpectedly engaged with English, Scottish, Australian or Canadian divisions, depending on where they happened to be when the enemy made a jump in their direction. In the past twelve hours I have met British, Canadian and Australian officers who were associated with these volunteer American aids in emergency defensive or offensive work, and these officers of the army of Great British felt called on to tell an American correspondent what they think of Uncle Sam's young men.

In their opinion the young American officers is a natural fighter, possessing cheerfulness, adaptability, resourcefulness and initiative. Some of them found themselves in positions of extreme military difficulty at times when they could not appeal for advice and had to act as best they knew how. In every case, the British officers said, the Americans instinctively did the right things. It should be remembered that the American officers who were caught in the great battle on the British front were under no obligation to take part. They could have retired to the rear, but I have heard of no instance of one of them taking advantage of their privilege. Instead, they appeared to deem it a privilege to mix in. They were in the position of a citizen finding himself in front of a house in which a fire is raging and threatening life. The citizen may, if he likes, run to the nearest fire alarm box, turn in an alarm and go on his way, or he may dash into the house and help rescue the occupants. The American citizen generally dashes into the burning house.

For military reasons it is impossible to make public the names of any of the officers who accidentally found themselves in the midst of a battle and "carried on." It is against the censorship rules to mention officers' names expect under conditions which do not apply in this case. I may be permitted to say, however, that one young New Yorker of the same name as his father, who is a noted wit and after-dinner speaker, has had an experience with tanks which will make good reading some day. We had dinner last night in a good inn in a town behind the lines.

"When I first came over here," he said, "I made an agreement with my father that I would try to live within his income. Inasmuch as I have not received a letter from him for four months I have been compelled to live without it."

Here's a Collection Of War Animal Stories

In a town in which I was quartered for a week the regimental headquarters mess was in the hunting lodge of a chateau the master of which had been killed in the war. The chateau and grounds are in the custody of an old man and two women, and their chief concern is the care of the master's boar hound, a shaggy dog about the size of a pony. The master was a great hunter, and the hound was his favorite assistant in pursuit of wild boars.

When the master went away to the war he left the boar hound locked up in a strong wire inclosure which has a kennel in one corner. That was more than three years ago and the hound, a ferocious animal, has not been out of the enclosure since. All day long he trots around in a circle and his feet have worn a circular trench as deep as his shoulders and flanks. As he goes round and round only his head and back can be seen.

He is a veritable trench hound. Once a day the old man pushes a basin to which is attached a chain through a small opening in the wire and the hound jumps out of his trench long enough to eat his liberal allowance of food.

A certain dugout on the Picardy front occupied by twenty-two officers is in the midst of a nest of batteries. Close by are some big guns which jar the earth every time they are discharged. German shells fall about frequently and jar the dugout too. But the officers sleep profoundly throughout the continuous thunder of gunfire. Soon after they took possession of the dugout a rat, tempted by morsels of food and candles, invaded the cave and took up quarters. The slightest noise made by the rat during the night would awaken everybody in the place, though the cannon overhead might be rocking the countryside. The officers were becoming pale and haggard and irritable because of lack of sleep until one afternoon the whole outfit, assisted by half a dozen privates, closed up the openings and organised a rat hunt. They got the rat, and now their sleep is undisturbed.

White mice and canary birds are kept in dugouts to giv warning of enemy gas. When the birds or mice crumple up and keel over, the soldiers know that the Germans have sent over poison gas. In front of one of our positions in Lorraine there is a swamp which is frequented by wild ducks. The ducks are infallible gas alarms. When the German projects gas along the line at night the quacking of the ducks awakens everybody along the sector. So far as the soldiers have been able to observe, the gas doesn't do anything to the ducks but make them quack.

The headquarters supply company of a unit to which I was attached had a cute little tamed boar for a pet. He was brown, striped with black, playful and joyous, and he followed the men of the command around like a dog. We went on a five-day hike to the front, and because of forced marches the supplies lagged behind. When we got to the front the pet boar had disappeared. Boar meat is tasty, and this little fellow had been well fed.

The water supply is very bad in a village where we lodge a supply train. There are two green, slimy pools in the village, and the veterinary of the outfit has forbidden watering horses from the pools. Water for men and horses is brought in tanks from another supply. The other day a mule broke out of a corral, ran at top speed along the road for an eighth of a mile and splashed into one of the pools. Behind the mule loped a Swede buck private. As the mule sank his nose into the green water, the private yelled: "Hey, you blankety blank fule! Don't you know de doctor says ve skoll not drink dere?" The mule, with one eye on the approaching shouting private, drank his fill. He was still at work at latest accounts.

The Older The Veteran The Better His Chances

American soldiers wearing the gold V-shaped insignia on the sleeve denoting six months of active service at the front have received cheery news from British and French officers who have been in the war since it started. The British and French say that, contrary to general belief, the longer a man serves the better his chances of escaping with a whole skin—except, of course, in the air service. Statistics show that a considerable percentage of casualties occur among men seeing their first three months of service.

Green troops do not know how to take care of themselves. They expose themselves needlessly and fail to take proper precautions. After three months they get wary, and the longer they are in the more wary they become. A veteran is seldom killed or wounded outside of direct action or by chance shell fire.

One who has never seen a big battle or lived along the lines across which two fighting forces face each other cannot conceive the number of shells that are wasted; that is, the number of shells that must be fired to put a gun or a battery out of commission or to inflict serious damage to men. The smaller cannon are the most accurate. Big shells are hard to control.

I saw one of our guns bound for the rear for repairs. It had been in active service in one position or two weeks and had been a mark for German 10's most of the time. Finally a big German shell struck it, inflicting minor damage which can be repaired in two weeks. None of the crew was injured.

When the gun went into position back of a hill the vicinity had never been touched by shell fire. About twenty-four hours after it began to send messages beyond the German lines the Germans began to seek it out with heavy artillery. It is a rule in our army that every enemy shell arriving on our side must be counted. The Germans fired 4,000 shells before they got that gun. They tore up the fields and roads for miles around. As the gun was in an emplacement remote from other battery positions our artillery experts are certain that all these 4,000 shells were directed toward the destruction of that particular piece. I have seen enough perfectly innocent soil blown up by German shells to dam the East River.

FOCH FELICITATES MARCH

French Generalissimo Expresses Gratification At Promotion

Washington, June 2.—Cablegrams exchanged by Gen. Foch, the Commander-in-Chief of the allied armies, and Gen. March, upon the occasion of the latter's appointment as chief of staff, with the rank of General, were made public tonight by the War Department.

Gen. Foch's message follows:

"I hear with deep satisfaction your promotion to the rank of General. I associate myself to the just pride which you must feel in evoking the name of your glorious predecessors, Grant and Sheridan. I convey to you my sincere congratulations and I am happy to see you assume permanently that huge task of chief of staff of the United States Army, which you were already performing in so brilliant a way."

Gen. March replied:

"Your message of congratulation upon my promotion to the grade of General, Chief of Staff, United States army, was personally conveyed to me by Gen. Vignal, French military attache. I appreciate deeply your most kindly greetings and in expressing my sincere thanks avail myself of the opportunity to assure you of every assistance and constant support which may lie in my power to aid you in the furtherance and successful accomplishments of your great task."

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The report of Secretary Daniels for the first year of the war stated that a fleet of 150 ships, including battleships, cruisers, destroyers, submarines, etc., was operating in European waters; that this fleet was being operated by 35,000 officers and sailors. During the year the Navy increased from 4,800 officers and 78,000 enlisted men to more than 20,000 officers and 330,000 enlisted men.

"In his report the Secretary said: "Quickly following the placing of armed guards and trained gunners on merchant ships, the Navy began its part against undersea boats in European waters. On April 24, 1917, after eight days' notice, six of our destroyers sailed for Europe. The Navy that flies has become a reality, for the flying boat has been proved a success.

"We come to the end of the year with an organisation for aeronautics that is proving efficient in every degree." As to mercantile shipping, it was officially announced at the end of the year that "the ships contributed by the United States in aid of the Allies in transporting troops and supplies numbered 390, with a tonnage of 2,762,605. Of these ships 322 were flying the American flag, while 68 were chartered ships at that time. April 1 the American ships had a carrying capacity of 2,365,344 tons. In addition, there were 476,000 tons of Dutch ships to be put in service."

Special criticism has been had because the United States has been slow in producing large guns and airplanes. Such criticism is most unjust. The United States started in this war without preparation, for which Congress was mostly responsible because it refused, year after year, to respond to the countless entreaties of army and navy men to enlarge the army and build more ships.

With no plants or materials to build cannon and airplanes, how could it be expected that the Government could in one year make much progress? But those in authority did the next best thing. As a temporary expedient they fully equipped the army and flying men with cannon and flying machines purchased from the French, and have trained and send to France hundreds, if not thousands, of airmen, who are doing wonderful service.

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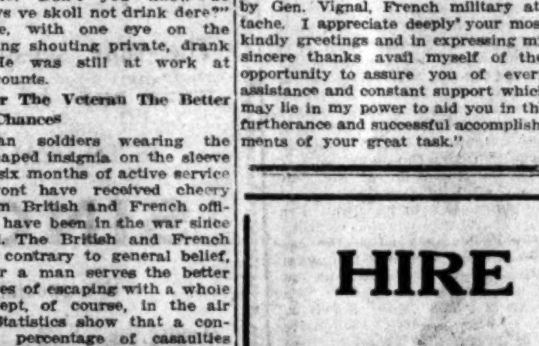

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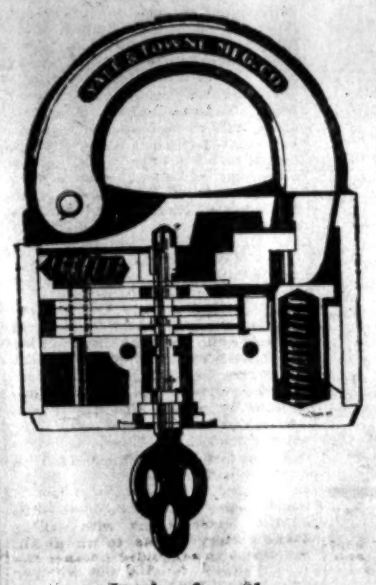

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They are English lovers, Joseph and Joan. His father is an analytical chemist and well to do; hers is a corn chandler, better to do, with three fine farms. But for their first year money and prospects interest them little enough. It is life that counts—life and love and fair weather. They sing and soar and fly together, these two, emulating the birds, who have from his earliest days been the delight, the ceaseless study, the inspiration of Joseph.

Unhappily, it is to Joseph alone that the bird dream lives on unbrokenly. With the birth of a child, a daughter, Joan becomes suddenly a heavy, rather stupid mother. She loses her strange beauty and her rapture. She returns to the type whence youth and imagination have temporarily rescued her.

This is where loneliness falls for a long time upon Joseph. But for one thing it is where our book would close. The one thing is the second Joan, within whom has been born the bird that always had been singing to her father's heart. As this Joan comes into her flying, singing young maidenhood, the old rapture returns to Joseph. The girl has a little song of her own:

Flow, fly, flow,
Wherever I am, I go.

And she lives up to her going lines. She is always in flight. Always soaring. Always, too, and even without a word spoken or sung, she calls her father with her. These two have a rhapsody of understanding. They live in the air. They and their ecstasies of the wing and their philosophy of the bird are the rest of Mr. Blackwood's book. They are always discussing things. Once, the question is how to get out of Time.

"It's a thing we ought to know," says Joan. "I do know it somewhere—only I haven't found it out quite."

Later she takes out of Joseph's own head the idea that Time is a line, having only one direction, while Space extends every way. From this there is the natural evolution of a philosophy which demands life in Space, life with freedom, life with an abundance of room, life as it is to birds—the promise of the air with all its magic and its unseen means of communication and of mutual understanding. With the wonder of all this in his heart, Joseph puts out of his head the things he has learned in primers.

Nonsense, is it? Perhaps, to the purely practical mind. Certainly not stuff to thrill the general or make a best seller in letters. We can appreciate its appeal to dreamers and to lovers of birds. Especially when skies are softly blue and earth is warm.

THE CALL TO AMERICA

For Awakening That Began When The First Of Our Boys Sailed Away

In his booklet, "Wake Up, America!" (Macmillan), Mark Sullivan reflects:

The war did not come to us as it came to Belgium.

No Oregon rancher, working in his field on a peaceful afternoon, was disturbed by an old whirring in the sunny air, and looked toward Mount Hood to see an airplane spitting fire upon his neighboring village.

In no New England town did children huddle in the windows and peer at exultant Uhlans prancing down the maple shaded street.

No Maryland farmer from his hilltop field saw a thing that sent him hurrying to the house to gather his children into his cart and take to the road in fear.

No city of ours walked for days in anxiety, listening to the rise and fall of a fateful cannonade. War did not thunder at our doors as at the forts of Liege.

War came to us "rather as something on paper, as a thing of documents and statutes and refinements of international law, a thing of whereases and therefores," and, "having come to us in this way, there was not in it the quality to stir our emotions."

Nevertheless, emotion has to be stirred, and so has the spirit of service and sacrifice in all particulars, from man-giving and money-giving to man-power saving and every economy. Mr. Sullivan puts all this into terse, piquant and paragraphic pages. But it is a fact that America began to wake from the moment that she began to send her sons abroad.

REVELATIONS OF A PRINCE

Under the title "The Guilt of Germany" there are published in book form (Putnams) the revelations of Prince Karl Lichnowsky, heretofore confined to news columns, fixing the responsibility for the great war firmly and indisputably upon the Kaiser and his militaristic bund. Prince Lichnowsky was German Ambassador at London from 1912 to 1914, and his memoranda are based upon official orders and correspondence.

GRIEF AS IT IS SELFISH

Pointed Out To Odette, Who Loves And Loses While France Needs

Translated by Louise Seymour Houghton, Rene Boylesve's "Tu n'est plus rien" is published in English (Scribners) as "You No Longer Count." With the "You" strongly italicised. It is a study in the unthinking selfishness of an individual grief indulged when all France is in mourning and peril. The story told in the books is simple; it is the meaning, not the plot, that counts.

Odette, the heroine, who belongs to a clique of young married people, all very much in love, loses her officer husband in an early battle. Determined to dedicate her life to his dear memory, she quits Paris for the quiet seashore. But she cannot escape the war. English troops are landing; the Casino has been transformed from a house of gayety to one of pain into which the wounded are pouring.

Odette throws herself into war work, but still devotes her spiritual and mental life to the memory of her husband. The war drags on, and under the pressure of terrible common anxieties and efforts individuals are spiritually welded together. Self is not so much sacrificed as splendidly extinguished, and in our heroine herself there are at last the beginnings of a splendid transformation.

Delicately in M. Boylesve's pages Odette is reminded of duties to which she may rise above her grief. She is young. France needs wives, needs children. Her grave counsellor, La Villaumer, tells her she has no longer the right to the unending indulgence of sorrow. "The moment has come," he says, "to mourn more largely, more grandly, with the only grief that can save a soul like yours. The only hope of a resurrection lies in giving one's self to the common need, and losing one's self in it with love."

GAMES FOR PLAY CENTERS

Ninety Pages Of Them, Tried And Proved, Are In 'Ice-Breakers'

"Ice-Breakers" is the happily chosen title under which Edna Geister publishes (Woman's Press, New York) her book of games and stunts designed to take the diffidence and formality out of large or small groups of people and to get all hands together for enjoyment.

There are nearly ninety pages of games and catches, including quite a number that require music. Most of these "ice breakers" have been tried out under war time conditions and have been highly approved. In particular, they have succeeded wonderfully well at the Y. W. C. A. recreation center in Charleston, S. C., frequented by hundreds of soldiers, sailors, girl uniform makers and community girls.

The book has a pleasantly commendatory foreword by John J. Brokenshire, chaplain at the Navy Training Camp at Charleston.

BRIEF WAR BOOK NOTES

Volumes Of Experience, Of Record, And Of Tales Of Merchant Seamen

Straight, rapid and largely in the vernacular comes the story of war experiences told in the book "S. O. S. Stand To!" (D. Appleton & Co.) by Sergt. Reginald Grant of the Canadian artillery service. This fighting author writes of three years in front line trenches on the Somme. He had what his Major called "darned horseshoe luck." He was a member of the "sacrifice battery" in the battles of Ypres, Sanctuary Woods, Givanchy, etc. He was wounded many times, but he managed by pluck and belief in his own good star to carry on. His battle stories are vivid as a shell flash.

Also from the Appletons is "A Surgeon in Arms," the work of Dr. R. J. Manion of Canada. This book explains each step in the handling of the wounded from the time the man is hit until he is safe in "Blighty," and tells about battles in the air, gas attack and charges "over the top" which Dr. Manion actually witnessed.

Emmanuel Bourcier, a Frenchman distinguished in letters—mobilised as a soldier of the line and one of the rear guard left to cover the retreat to the Marne—pictures in "Under the German Shells" (Scribners) the life of the Poilu as he has shared it. M. Bourcier was in the Battle of the Marne, the Champagne offensive and at Verdun. He gives fresh and illuminating accounts of all the pases of present-day warfare—gas attacks, forced marches, charges and the routing life of the soldier in the field. He has been recently in the United States as an instructor at Camp Grant.

"The Fighting Engineers" (Century Company) is a sober yet fascinating account of the brave and expert Americans—part of a force now over 100,000 strong—which has been mixing effectively over there actual combat with the building of railways, bridges and roads and with works of the forest and farm. Francis A. Collins is the author of this book.

There are sixty-one chapters in L. Cope Cornford's book, "The Merchant Seaman in War," published (George H. Doran Company) with an introduction by Admiral Sir John Jellicoe. Each of these chapters is a true short story of heroism. Frequently courage is coupled with disaster—conspicuously so in the case of the Lusitania's loss. But whatever the circumstance and the outcome, the heroes are there. "War Is War." "The Sole Survivor," "Down in Five Minutes," "Shipmates With a Pirate" and "Fuel of Fire" are some of the titles, sharply striking, in Mr. Cornford's book.

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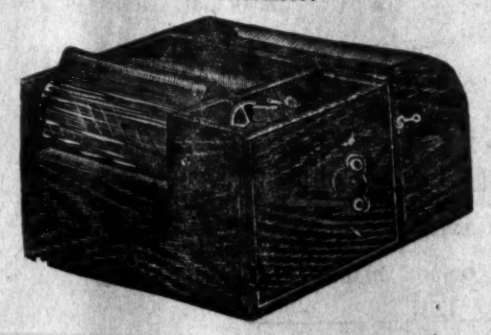

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"Winged Warfare" is the title of the book of flying experiences over the fighting line (George H. Doran Company) written by Major W. A. Bishop of the British Royal Flying Corps. It is a volume full of thrills. Also, it carries a variety of information new and immensely interesting to the layman. We quote our author's vivid description of how the airman steers and fights at the same time, thus:

"To those who have never seen a war machine I would explain that to control one, the pilot has to manipulate but a single lever which we call the 'joy stick.' It is very much like the lever with which you shift gears on an automobile, but it moves in four directions. If you would want your machine to go down, the instinctive move would be to lean the body forward. Therefore, the fighting aeroplane is so rigged that when the pilot pushes the 'joy stick' forward, the nose of the machine points down. In the same way, if he pulls the 'joy stick' back, the nose goes up and the machine climbs at any angle he wants it to.

"In turning, it is necessary to bank the machine, otherwise it will skid outward. It is also just as necessary that the machine is not banked too much. This is one of the first things a pupil is taught when learning to fly.

"The 'joy stick' also controls the banking. By moving it to either side you can tilt up whichever wing is desired. At his feet the pilot has a rudder bar which controls the horizontal direction of the machine. If he pushes his left foot forward and banks slightly, the machine turns slowly to the left. To go to the right there is only necessary a push with the right foot and a slight bank.

"The pilot thus has both feet on the rudder bar, holds the 'joy stick' with his right hand, and with his left controls the engine of the machine by holding the throttle in his hand. He is always able to do anything he wishes either with the engine or the machine itself. When firing the gun he simply moves his thumb slightly along the 'joy stick' and presses the lever which pulls the trigger."

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SUNGKIANG ORPHANAGE HOLDS COMMENCEMENT

Eight Are Graduated From Institution at Completion Of Its First Year

China Press Correspondence

Sungkiang, Ku., July 5.—Last Friday, the Sungkiang Orphanage held its first commencement exercises. Though this is the ninth year of its existence and there have been graduates before, still we have never made a public demonstration until this year. This orphanage is an independent institution, supported entirely by the gifts of generous friends. Though it has been put under the direction of our mission, still a number of the trustees are non-Christian and the largest part of the funds are contributed by non-Christian friends.

We had eight to graduate from the school this year. Through indisposition the magistrate did not attend, but he sent as his representative, the Chairman of the Board of Education, Mr. Koo Kya-hyi, who gave us a fine address and presented the certificates to the graduates. The program was quite interesting and the little chaps acquitted themselves very creditably. A gentleman of the place sent a thousand dollars for the institution some time ago. We are planning to build adequate quarters next year. It being the tenth birthday of the institution, we hope to celebrate in our new building. There are now thirty-nine inmates of the home and we hope to enlarge the number as soon as we can secure the accommodations.

There is some little interest in the coming election to the Provincial Assembly. I heard the other day that a prominent citizen of the place had three thousand dollars for an election fund. I understand that he is short three votes, which he is now busying himself to secure.

A rather unusual circumstance in our quiet city happened the other night. About half past nine o'clock a woman was walking on one of the streets having another woman with a lantern for her companion. Suddenly an unknown man assaulted her and after whirling her around threw her heavily to the ground. However, their cries for help frightened him away before he could plunder her of anything. The woman's face was bruised by the fall. We seem to have some enterprising highwayman, who is trying to follow in the footsteps of his Shanghai brethren.

LIEUT. YATES IS PRISONER

Lieut. Douglas Yates, of the British Machine Gun Corps, has been officially reported as a prisoner of war in Germany. Lieut. Yates had been reported missing for nearly a month and his many friends in Shanghai will be pleased to learn that he is alive.

Big League Standings

June 13

National League

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	31	13	.705
New York	30	15	.667
Cincinnati	23	23	.500
Boston	21	25	.457
Pittsburgh	20	24	.455
Philadelphia	18	25	.419
St. Louis	18	25	.419
Brooklyn	17	28	.378

American League

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Boston	31	20	.608
New York	27	21	.563
Chicago	24	20	.545
Cleveland	27	24	.529
Washington	25	26	.490
St. Louis	22	24	.478
Philadelphia	19	27	.413
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Baseball Standing In Tientsin Series

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Fifteenth Inf.	2	1	1	.500
Tientsin	1	0	0	.000*
Japanese	2	0	1	.000*
Marines	1	0	0	.000
Meiji	0	0	0	.000

Rowing Club Gala

The following were the results of last night's Rowing Club midweek gala:—

One Length (Handicap)

Heat 1:

A. P. Goldman	1 sec.	1
J. B. Brown	1 sec.	2
J. H. Johns	2 secs.	3
E. G. Barner	5 secs.	0
A. E. Donald	3 secs.	0

Time: 16 2-5.

Heat 2:

T. C. G. Pearson	3 secs.	1
E. A. Brodie	scratch	2
A. E. Scriven	2 secs.	0
S. Yates	6 secs.	0

Time: 22 1-5.

Final:

Brodie	scratch	1
Goldman	1 sec.	2
Brown	1 sec.	3
Pearson	3 secs.	0

Time: 20 secs.

Standing Headers

J. B. Brown 1
E. A. Brodie 2
E. G. Barnes 3

Also competed:—Pearson, Goldman, Johns and Donald.

Brodie and Goldman were handicapped 1¼ points per dive, and Donald and Brown 1 point per dive.

Water Polo

Blues:—Barnes; Johns and Bertes; I. D. Macdonald; Nash, Page, Brodie and Donald.

Whites:—Starling; Scriven and T. R. Macdonald; MacCabe; Bauld, Brown, Goldman and Pearson.

Blues won by 6 goals (Brodie 3, Nash 3) to nil.

Mr. W. J. Gande was a popular referee.

Water Polo Schedule

The schedule for the Shanghai Water Polo league for 1918 was arranged last evening at the committee meeting of the local Amateur Swimming Association, and is as follows:

Thurs., July 18—Rowing Club v. Police at Municipal Bath.
Wed., July 31—Rowing Club v. Internationals at Rowing Club.
Wed., Aug. 7—Rowing Club v. Japanese at Rowing Club.
Thurs., Aug. 8—Police v. Internationals at Municipal Bath.
Thurs., Aug. 15—Police v. Japanese at Municipal Bath.
Sun., Aug. 18—Internationals v. Japanese at Municipal Bath.
Wed., Aug. 21—Rowing Club v. Police at Rowing Club.
Fri., Aug. 23—Rowing Club v. Internationals at Municipal Bath.
Sun., Aug. 25—Rowing Club v. Japanese at Municipal Bath.
Tues., Aug. 27—Police v. Internationals at Municipal Bath.
Sun., Sept. 1—Internationals v. Japanese at Municipal Bath.
Thurs., Sept. 5—Police v. Japanese at Municipal Bath.

Shooting

Shanghai Scottish, S.V.C.

The July monthly cup competition of the Shanghai Scottish, S.V.C., was held Tuesday morning, the weather conditions being perfect. The light was even, and there was an absence of wind. The conditions were 300 yds. Bisley, one sighter, and five rounds, and service target five rounds rapid. The following were the best scores in each class:

"A" Class:	Bisley.	Rapid.	Total.	Hcap.	Nett Score.
*Cpl. P. Campbell	19	15	34	—	34
Col. Sgt. G. J. Turnbull	18	15	33	8.50%	30.20
Pte. G. Bloom	23	10	33	8.50%	30.20

*First leg on cup; winner of spoon; future handicap 4.25%.

"B" Class:					
†Sgt. N. C. Wilson	20	12	32	7%	29.76
Pte. A. J. Grant	18	9	27	—	27
Pte. A. Youngson	17	11	28	4.25%	26.81

†Winner of Cup and Spoon. Transferred to "A" Class.

"C" Class:					
‡Pte. W. G. Cameron	16	9	25	—	25
Pte. A. Laing	13	10	23	—	23
Pte. W. Train	15	9	24	4.25%	22.98

‡Winner of Spoon. Future handicap 4.25%.

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Baseball Today

G. W. W. and B. A. T. To Clash

Activities are scheduled to resume in the Hong League today, the Gaston, Williams and Wigmore nine engaging the pastimers from the British-American Tobacco Company at 4.30 p.m. Roberts and Gardner will probably be the battery for G. W. W. and Wilhoit and Davis for the B. A. T.

Obituary

Mr. H. S. Goodfellow

Mr. H. S. Goodfellow died yesterday morning at his residence, 340 Avenue Joffre, after long illness. He had been in poor health for a number of years and since a trip to California about four years ago had been almost constantly under the care of his physician.

Mr. Goodfellow was 42 years old and had lived practically his whole life here. He was formerly for many years connected with Messrs. Dodwell and Co., and later was representative for Messrs. Robert Roxburgh and Co. He leaves an extensive circle of friends to mourn his loss. He was a popular member of the Shanghai Race Club and the Shanghai Club and in former years did a considerable amount of riding on the local track, winning the Jockey Cup on Vigilant in 1905. The flags of both Clubs flew at half-mast yesterday as a mark of respect.

Mr. Goodfellow is survived by his mother, living here, and three married sisters, Mrs. H. Edblad of Shanghai, Mrs. Jameson of Hankow, and a third sister living in Weihaiwei.

The funeral will take place at 5.30 p.m. today.

Today's Band Program

The following program will be played by the Band in the Public Garden this evening, weather permitting, beginning at 9 p.m.:

1.—March, Hurrah Boys ...Lacalle
2.—Overture, La Gazza Ladra ...Rossini
3.—Waltz, Tendres Baisers ...Waldteufel
4.—Suite de Ballet, Coppelia ...Delibes
5.—(a) Song, As When the Snow Drift ...Thomas
(b) Tango, La Verbena...Lacome
6.—Song, Serenata ...Braga
7.—Waltz, Rendezvous...de Zuluetta
8.—Selection, The Bohemian Girl ...Balfe

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IMPARTIAL AND PROGRESSIVE

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The Situation in Russia

EVENTS in Russia are so shaping themselves as to make the conclusion irresistible that the days of the Bolsheviki are numbered. The future the Bolsheviki are preparing for themselves is not a bright one. The assassination of Count von Mirbach, the German Ambassador at Moscow, whom Kerensky has called the "real master" of Russia, is clear evidence of a violent revulsion of Russian sentiment against Germany. Everywhere the Bolsheviki are working for the Germans, and for the German menace to India and China not only in ignoring the desires, habits and needs of the natives of oppressed districts, but also in subjecting them to a regime likely to remind them of the darkest pages in their mediaeval history.

The consequences to China of any trouble in Moslem Central Asia, precisely the sort of trouble that the Bolsheviki are stirring up there, scarcely need emphasis. The story which we published on Tuesday of the Bolsheviki horrors in Russian Turkistan, compiled by a trusted correspondent from official despatches, mirrors the situation well. It is a story of a complete lack of understanding of the needs and wishes of the local population, especially the native population, the most sanguinary repression, the most wanton cruelty and the most ruthless greed and unblushing dishonesty displayed by the Bolshevik leaders and their following, the majority of whom appear to be men whom a criminal past has severed from their native places, and whose utter lack of principle made them ready instruments for working on the local inhabitants, both native and Russian, who were terrorised by brutal force which they were unhappily without the means of resisting.

The Bolshevik power has manifested itself in all its characteristic brutality. An instance may be given. Enraged at the firm stand taken by the Semiretchensk population, the Bolshevik Commissioner, Muraeff, adopted a plan ghastly in its simplicity, namely, to exterminate all the educated elements in the province and all the Cossacks who would not rally to the Bolshevik standard, with all the natives known to have sympathy with the Cossack movement. This plan was revealed by the thousands of refugees arriving in the most destitute condition in the neighboring Chinese province of Ili, or Kuldja, who speak best for themselves in the following appeal telegraphed to the Allied Ministers in Peking:

The merciless policy of the Bolsheviks based on forces put into practice by men with a criminal past, a policy realised in executions, the wholesale murder of Cossacks and Mussulmans, the burning alive of women abandoned in flight, the destruction of all crops and the complete absence of any means of defense against these horrors, as all arms had to be surrendered to the Bolsheviki—all this has obliged Cossacks and Mussulmans of Semiretchie province to seek protection by crossing the frontier of China. Thousands of refugees now assembled in the Ili (Kuldja) region implore the help of the Allies by the immediate occupation of the town of Vernyi, the chief center of Bolshevism, by a detachment of troops the very appearance of which in the province would restore order, save hundreds of thousands of lives and the whole region from ruin, and would help to establish conditions desired by the people of the entire province. The Cossacks and Mussulmans, who constitute four-fifths of the population, request prompt effective aid from the magnanimous Allies, hoping for the speedy realisation of these results.

(Signed)

Ionoff,

Colonel, Chief of the Semiretchensk Cossack Army.

Djanykoff,

President of the Mussulman Regional Conference and Member of the All-Russian Constituent Assembly.

The above will give one a good idea of the anarchy prevailing under the Bolshevik regime, but no summary of the situation in Russian Turkistan can be considered complete without mention being made of the fact that the first outburst of public indignation with Bolshevik rule in the southern part of this region took place early this year in Kokand, Fergana province. Elements representing the elected Self-Government Council of Turkistan, dissolved by the Bolsheviki, attempted to make a stand here against the usurpers, but, unable to overcome the local Bolshevik garrison, had to seek refuge elsewhere before the Punitive Expedition of Red Guards from Tashkent. Little has been heard of the barbarous repressions perpetrated by this Bolshevik expedition, except an occasional mention in foreign papers of the massacre of Jews from Bohkara, which took place in this town, of the population of which they formed the wealthiest portion. Looting spread to the Mussulman quarters, it being alleged that the Mussulmans had supported the Russian Provisional Government, and here again many Chinese citizens were robbed and murdered.

Bolshevik activities were, however, still more striking during the armed expedition of the Tashkent Commissioners into Bokhara itself. The immediate reasons for this "war" cannot be ascertained from reports received here, but the general causes were presumably that some anti-Bolshevik elements may have taken refuge within the domains of the Emir, and, moreover, there may have been need for the supply of foodstuffs stored there. Items from independent Tashkent newspapers describe with much indignation the details of this expedition, totally unconcerned with the safety of the Russian civil population which as a matter of fact the natives held responsible for the outrages of the advancing Red Guards, who indulged on the way in their customary practices of murder and loot. Defenseless peasants were mown down as they worked in the fields by maxims fixed on armored trains, the town of Kermine was looted, including the palace of the Emir, private houses and farms were burned, women were violated, large stocks of most necessary supplies were rendered useless, destroyed or burned in sheer wantonness or for lack of the most elementary supervision, the local industries, including two cotton factories, were ruined and destroyed, the neighboring fertile country laid waste, hungry abandoned cattle made the night wakeful by their piteous lowing and bellowing, and local sanctuaries were raked by shell fire. Similar scenes took place at other places, such as Ziadin, in which locality the most revolting scenes were witnessed, the Red Guards abusing the helplessness of the refugees fleeing before the calamity around them, seizing the refugees' cattle, their last hope of sustenance, and entraining it for Samarkand, on the pretext that the starving Sart refugees were not able to feed them.

If, as seems possible, Germany decides to institute dire reprisals against Russia for the murder of her Ambassador at Moscow, it may indirectly prove to be the salvation of Russia, for there can be little doubt that the widespread revulsion of feeling which such action will arouse will unite the people of Russia to resist German aggression and Bolshevik oppression, which go hand in hand. That the Bolsheviki are apprehensive of severe action by Germany may be judged by the fact that Lenin, the Bolshevik leader, has telegraphically ordered Joffe, his Ambassador at Berlin, to convey to the German Foreign Minister, Kuhlmann, the indignation of the Bolshevik leaders at the assassination, and by the fact that as soon as these leaders heard the news of the assassination, they informed the head of the German Mission to Russia that the most extraordinary measures were being taken to discover the murderers and that the whole quarter in which the German Embassy at Moscow is situated was immediately surrounded and the strictest measures were taken to control the movements of those arriving at and departing from the town. Their perturbation is still further testified by the fact that Lenin and his followers have decided to send a Plenipotentiary Extraordinary to Berlin to convey to Germany the indignation of the Bolshevik Government.

What the precise effect of the Moscow assassination will be it is too early to say, but it may safely be predicted that Bolshevik usurpation of power cannot be long sustained. The movement started in Siberia for the liberation of Russia is gathering strength, and directly the Bolsheviki are driven out entirely from Siberia, the movement will undoubtedly spread to Central Russia. The Bolshevik movement will expire as quickly as it was born because it is of the very stuff of artificiality and transience. A firm stand against Bolshevism is the only attitude possible for patriotic Russians, and there is every evidence that they are about to take this stand, not only in Siberia, but in the very heart of Russia.

Correspondence

'Cockroaches'

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Sir.—I can sympathise with "A Subscriber" re the above pest. I can safely say nothing touches these horrid insects but "Twigg's Beetle Virus." I was annoyed by them for years, tried everyone's remedy, but until I discovered the above, nothing proved successful. Cleanliness is essential, then sprinkle freely under paper in drawers and on shelves, on kitchen tables at night and in fact everywhere. I will guarantee, if done properly and used plentifully, they will soon disappear.

Yours faithfully,

One Who Has Suffered.

World's Foreign Trade Record ◎ Some Remarkable Figures

The following statistics have been compiled by V. P. Austin of the National City Bank and formerly chief of the Bureau of Statistics at Washington.

The United States has suddenly become the world's largest exporter of manufactures. Prior to the war, according to a compilation by The National City Bank of New York, we held third place among the nations of the world as an exporter of manufactures, being clearly outranked in this line by Great Britain and Germany. With the opening of the war, however, and the suspension of Germany's export trade, we took rank next to Great Britain as an exporter of manufactures, and with the enormous foreign demand upon our factories we have now passed Great Britain in the race and stand at the head of the list of nations exporting manufactures.

The exportation of manufactures in 1913, the latest normal year in international trade were, according to the Bank's compilation, stated in very round figures, (gold) Great Britain $2,000,000,000 of domestic manufactures exported, Germany $1,675,000,000, United States $1,099,000,000, France $775,000,000, Belgium approximately $400,000,000, Austria-Hungary $375,000,000, Italy $275,000,000, Netherlands $250,000,000, Japan $225,000,000, Switzerland $200,000,000, India $125,000,000, Sweden $100,000,000, Canada $77,000,000, Russia $70,000,000 and Spain $50,000,000, all of these figures being in very round terms. Thus the grand total of manufactures entering international trade (China being excluded) in the year before the war, was about $8,000,000,000, of which the United States supplied about one-eighth, or in round terms $1,000,000,000.

About ninety percent of the manufactures entering international trade in 1913 was the product of countries now at war. In certain of the countries, notably Germany, Austria-Hungary, Belgium and Russia, exportation of manufactures was suspended, and in others, notably France, Italy and Netherlands, the exportation was greatly reduced. In still others, however, notably the United States, Canada and Japan, the production and exportation of manufactures greatly increased following the war. In the case of the neutral countries of Europe there was little change and the official figures of Great Britain show comparatively little change, though presumably they do not include all of the war material sent out of that country by the Government especially that going to France.

The chief countries which show a marked increase in exportation of manufactures during the war are the United States, Canada and Japan. In the case of the United States the increase has been especially in material for the battlefield and the use of the Allied troops, but there has also been a large increase in exports of our manufactures to the neutral world, Latin America, Asia, Oceania, Africa and certain countries of Europe. The total value of domestic manufactures exported from the United States in the fiscal year ending with June, 1914, all of which preceded the war, aggregated $1,099,000,000 including in this both finished manufactures and those for further use in manufacturing. In the calendar year 1915 they totaled $1,791,000,000, in 1916 $3,537,000,000 and in 1917 $4,019,000,000, while Great Britain's total exports of domestic manufactures in 1917 were but $2,030,000,000, or about one-half those of the United States in that year. With the Central Powers, Russia and Belgium no longer exporting manufactures, and France, Italy and Netherlands greatly reducing their exports, it is estimated that the total value of manufactures entering international trade was but little more than $8,000,000,000 of which the United States supplied nearly or quite one-half her total exports in that year having been as above indicated $4,019,000,000.

Of this enormous exportation of manufactures of the United States in 1917, practically four times as much as before the war and twice as much as that of Great Britain in 1917, more than one-fourth was destined for the battlefields of Europe. Explosives alone amounted to $634,000,000, manufactures of brass, largely for production of shells $240,000,000, chemicals which were largely for the manufacture of explosives $193,000,000, firearms $97,000,000, wire $40,000,000 and zinc $40,000,000. The total of iron and steel manufactures of all kinds exported from the U. S. in 1917 was $1,235,000,000 against $391,000,000 in 1915. Much of the increase in manufactures other than those for war purposes went to Latin America, Asia, Africa, Oceania and the neutral countries of Europe, to which the U. S. showed large gains in the exports of 1917 compared with those at the beginning of the war. The following tabulations will be of interest:

Principal Manufactures Exported From The United States In The Fiscal Years 1914, 1915 and 1916 And The Calendar Year 1917.

	Fiscal Year ending with June 30th			Calendar Year
	1914	1915	1916	1917
Mowers & Reapers	$18,658,000	$3,515,000	$6,247,000	$12,740,000
Plows & Cultivators	5,266,000	2,528,000	4,457,000	7,592,000
Other Agric. Implements	4,246,000	2,669,000	4,805,000	13,182,000
Aluminum & Mfrs.	1,102,000	3,246,000	5,644,000	14,586,000
Brass Bars & Sheets	792,000	6,149,000	35,670,000	101,486,000
Other Brass Mfrs.	6,681,000	14,395,000	129,206,000	138,372,000
Aeroplanes & Parts	226,000	1,541,000	7,002,000	6,698,000
Autos, commercial	1,182,000	29,141,000	56,806,000	36,365,000
Autos, passenger	25,293,000	27,114,000	40,659,000	51,983,000
Autos, parts of	6,624,000	7,852,000	22,536,000	31,524,000
Cars for railways	11,178,000	3,414,000	26,661,000	11,883,000
Cement, hydraulic	3,382,000	3,242,000	3,781,000	5,330,000
Acids	483,000	3,128,000	24,708,000	52,696,000
Dyes & Dyestuffs	357,000	1,178,000	5,012,000	16,107,000
Soda, salts of	3,141,000	12,659,000	.....	22,387,000
Other chemicals	23,098,000	29,425,000	94,552,000	102,065,000
Copper Pigs & Ingots	144,896,000	96,239,000	159,491,000	307,734,000
Other Copper Mfrs.	1,327,000	3,319,000	14,455,000	47,318,000
Cotton Cloths	28,845,000	28,683,000	46,414,000	95,474,000
Cotton Wearing Apparel	10,767,000	29,550,000	34,227,000	27,082,000
Cotton Other Mfrs.	11,855,000	13,741,000	31,412,000	36,214,000
Electrical Machinery	25,061,000	19,772,000	36,254,000	55,478,000
Loaded Cartridges	3,522,000	17,714,000	37,983,000	42,123,000
Gunpowder	247,000	5,092,000	173,736,000	331,713,000
Other Explosives	2,503,000	18,670,000	256,263,000	259,898,000
Binder Twine	9,427,000	6,845,000	11,484,000	20,163,000
Glass & Glassware	3,730,000	5,559,000	12,321,000	12,910,000
Rubber Mfrs.	12,441,000	14,768,000	35,180,000	34,789,000
Pig Iron	2,860,000	2,073,000	5,487,000	24,044,000
Bars & Rods of Steel	7,392,000	10,830,000	37,693,000	75,066,000
Steel Billets & Ingots	1,043,000	4,815,000	42,221,000	161,043,000
Firearms	3,442,000	9,475,000	18,065,000	97,005,000
Engines & Parts	17,055,000	11,545,000	36,931,000	93,109,000
Metal Working Machinery	14,011,000	28,163,000	61,215,000	76,525,000
Mining Machinery	No data	6,298,000	7,573,000	12,867,000
Sewing Machines	11,495,000	6,223,000	5,422,000	8,137,000
Typewriting Machines	10,576,000	5,315,000	9,104,000	9,378,000
Other Machinery	62,521,000	36,320,000	62,432,000	87,608,000
Wire Nails	1,694,000	2,477,000	7,367,000	12,088,000
Pipes & Fittings	14,338,000	9,280,000	11,775,000	24,362,000
Steel Rails	10,259,000	4,538,000	17,687,000	23,950,000
Steel Plates	5,987,000	4,472,000	11,343,000	65,895,000
Steel Sheets	6,769,000	4,018,000	4,651,000	18,655,000
Struc. Iron & Steel	12,533,000	6,289,000	12,011,000	24,543,000
Tin Plates	3,644,000	5,712,000	18,703,000	41,937,000
Wire & Mfrs.	9,635,000	17,269,000	48,302,000	51,223,000
Other Iron & Steel Mfrs.	56,226,000	50,799,000	200,867,000	336,369,000
Lead Mfrs.	4,322,000	9,045,000	13,788,000	17,967,000
Leather	36,669,000	65,229,000	80,074,000	80,627,000
Total Leather Mfrs.	57,456,000	120,727,000	146,614,000	122,270,000
Bacon	25,879,000	47,326,000	78,616,000	122,700,000
Hams & Shoulders	23,767,000	29,050,000	40,803,000	54,045,000
Lard	54,403,000	52,440,000	47,634,000	75,359,000
Total Meat Products	143,262,000	205,785,000	226,796,000	369,539,000
Condensed Milk	1,341,000	3,067,000	12,404,000	51,323,000
Oils, Gas & Fuel	13,748,000	18,544,000	24,770,000	46,017,000
Oils, Lubricating	27,854,000	28,500,000	37,452,000	57,624,000
Oils, Illuminating	74,500,000	53,007,000	52,289,000	48,[illegible],000
Naphthas	27,352,000	27,900,000	45,770,000	93,167,000
Paper	20,664,000	19,848,000	29,111,000	46,567,000
Photographic Goods	9,432,000	8,276,000	15,986,000	13,695,000
Refined Sugar	1,840,000	25,615,000	79,390,000	64,294,000
Wool Mfrs.	4,790,000	27,327,000	53,984,000	17,099,000
Spelter	406,000	21,244,000	45,867,000	51,697,000

Value Of Manufactures Produced In The United States, 1849 To 1914.

Year	Cost of Material	Value added by Mfr.	Value of Products	No. of Wage Earners.**
1849	$555,124,000	$ 463,983,000	$1,019,107,000	957,000
1859	1,031,605,000	854,257,000	1,885,862,000	1,311,000
1869	1,990,742,000	1,395,119,000	3,385,860,000	2,054,000
1879	3,396,824,000	1,972,756,000	5,369,579,000	2,733,000
1889	5,162,014,000	4,210,365,000	9,372,379,000	4,252,000
1899	7,343,628,000	5,656,521,000	13,000,149,000	5,306,000
1899*	6,575,851,000	4,831,075,000	11,406,927,000	4,713,000
1904	8,500,208,000	6,293,695,000	14,793,903,000	5,468,000
1909	12,142,791,000	8,529,261,000	20,672,052,000	6,615,000
1914	14,368,089,000	9,878,346,000	24,246,435,000	7,036,000

* Hand and neighborhood industries excluded beginning 1899.
** Does not include proprietors, firm members and salaried employees.

Exports Of Domestic Manufactures From The United States And The Share Which They Formed Of Total Domestic Exports 1850 To 1917

Fiscal Year	Mfrs. for further use in Mfg.	% of Total	Mfrs. ready for Consumption	% of Total	Total Exports
1850	$6,061,000	4.49	$17,162,000	12.72	$ 134,900,000
1860	12,842,000	3.99	35,811,000	11.33	316,242,000
1870	17,712,000	3.66	56,329,000	14.96	376,616,000
1880	29,044,000	3.52	92,774,000	11.26	823,946,000
1890	46,455,000	5.50	132,527,000	15.68	845,293,000
1900	153,276,000	11.18	331,746,000	24.20	1,370,764,000
1905	209,926,000	14.07	402,050,000	26.96	1,491,745,000
1910	267,766,000	15.66	499,215,000	29.19	1,710,084,000
1913	408,807,000	16.83	776,297,000	31.97	2,428,506,000
1914	374,224,000	16.06	724,908,000	31.11	2,329,684,000
1915	355,862,000	13.10	807,466,000	29.73	2,716,178,000
1916	657,923,000	15.40	1,998,298,000	46.77	4,272,178,000
1917	1,191,788,000	19.13	2,943,923,000	47.25	6,293,806,000

Imports Of Manufactures Into The United States And The Share Which They Formed Of The Total Imports 1850 To 1917.

Fiscal Year	Mfrs. for further use in Mfg.	% of Total	Mfrs. ready for Consumption	% of Total	Total Imports
1850	$86,163,000	15.08	$96,312,000	54.93	$ 173,510,000
1860	34,899,000	9.87	172,129,000	48.68	353,616,000
1870	55,569,000	12.75	173,615,000	39.82	435,958,000
1880	110,780,000	16.59	196,587,000	29.43	667,955,000
1890	116,924,000	14.81	230,686,000	29.23	789,310,000
1900	134,222,000	15.79	203,126,000	23.90	849,941,000
1905	177,828,000	15.91	252,373,000	22.58	1,117,513,000
1910	285,138,000	18.31	367,723,000	23.62	1,556,947,000
1913	349,402,000	19.27	408,179,000	22.51	1,813,008,000
1914	319,275,000	16.86	449,318,000	23.72	1,893,926,000
1915	237,177,000	14.17	335,877,000	20.04	1,674,170,000
1916	356,857,000	16.24	311,571,000	14.19	2,197,884,000
1917	475,325,000	17.87	379,662,000	14.28	2,659,355,000

Exports Of Domestic Manufactures From The Principal Manufacturing Countries Of The World And Percentage Which Manufactures Formed Of The Total Exports In The Years Named.

	1901		1906		1912	
	Value of Mfrs. Exported	% of Total	Value of Mfrs. Exported	% of Total	Value of Mfrs. Exported	% of Total
United States	$466,100,000	31.8	$686,100,000	39.9	$1,020,300,000	46.1
United Kingdom	1,085,800,000	79.7	1,482,800,000	81.2	1,873,600,000	79.0
Germany	691,300,000	65.3	1,051,000,000	69.2	1,435,700,000	67.1
France	4,337,800,000	56.0	598,700,000	58.5	761,200,000	58.4
Belgium*			218,100,000	40.1	282,300,000	37.3
Netherlands	140,600,000	20.0	157,600,000	18.6	257,200,000	20.4
A'tria-Hungary	213,600,000	55.1	313,100,000	63.4	359,400,000	64.8
Switzerland	124,100,000	76.2	154,000,000	74.2	196,600,000	74.7
Spain	37,980,000	25.9	47,060,000	27.1	50,900,000	25.4
Italy	110,100,000	59.2	231,600,000	62.0	257,400,000	55.2
Japan			169,350,000a	78.9	208,800,000	79.9

* Includes only fully manufactured articles
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Trade Between America and China

The figures for China, not quoted in the foregoing are of special interest. They have been compiled by J. S. Tow, Secretary of the Consulate of China, New York. In spite of the uncertainty of business conditions resulting from the entrance of both nations into the war, in spite of the lack of tonnage in the Pacific and the extraordinarily high rate of silver exchange, Chinese-American trade increased greatly during 1917. The total trade between the two countries for the year amounted to $165,164,788 gold, an increase of 40 percent over that for 1916, and 127 percent over that for 1915.

Month.	Chinese Imports.	American Exports.	Total.
January	U.S.$7,893,611	2,788,820	10,682,431
February	4,577,566	2,397,674	6,975,240
March	9,463,666	4,009,447	13,473,113
April	12,455,537	3,101,251	15,556,788
May	20,528,157	2,951,122	23,479,279
June	13,155,491	5,004,565	18,160,056
July	8,643,723	2,005,014	10,648,737
August	12,458,369	2,914,439	15,372,808
September	12,452,050	2,961,803	15,413,853
October	8,740,597	2,571,895	11,312,492
November	6,298,258	3,021,840	9,320,098
December	8,402,995	6,366,898	14,769,893
Total	125,070,020	40,094,768	165,164,788

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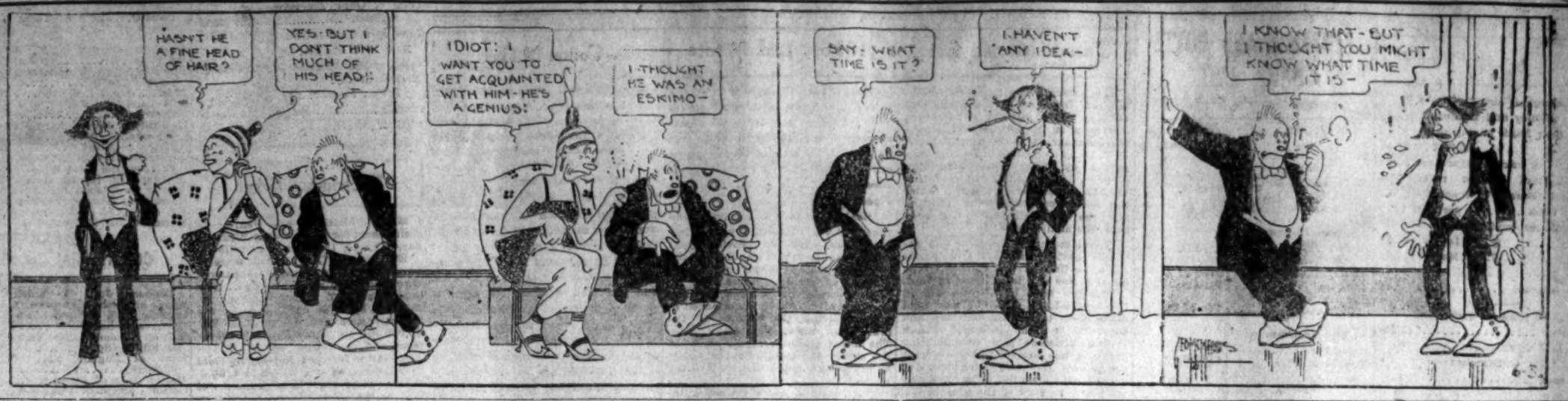
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Imagine two stout, stocky, though distinguished, Western newspaper editors endowed with commissions in the Red Cross Corps, told they must be equipped with uniforms befitting their rank, and setting out to obtain the requisite garments.

As a rule the journalistic fraternity does not take kindly to military duds, and it was with great reluctance that Henry J. Allen, editor of the Wichita Beacon and his brother-in-law, William Allen White, editor of the Emporia Gazette, went about the task. Before leaving New York they invested $17.93 each in khaki requisites and believed themselves ready to meet such exigencies as might befall.

The distressful things that happened to them and to these economical uniforms which, unfortunately they omitted to try on before embarking, form some of the most entertaining chapters in "The Martial Adventures of Henry and Me" (the Macmillan Company, publishers), in which William Allen White relates the adventures of their tour.

A great part of the daily reading of most of us is about the war; but those who have been at the front insist realisation of the poignant facts cannot be gathered from the printed word. However, Mr. White is an admirable literary artist and his descriptions of the reactions of "Henry and Me" to the sights and scenes of battle certainly project a remarkably clear impression of what war means to the men engaged in it and to the unfortunate peoples subjected to its ravages.

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The twain reach Paris, report at Red Cross headquarters, realise the incompetence of their bargain outfits and mournfully order $125 costumes from a Parisian tailor to whom they are introduced by a man from Morgan's; but before these are delivered they are ordered to the front. They try on the $17.93 clothes.

"Each went to his bedroom and began unwrapping his bundles. In ten minutes Henry appeared caprisoned like a chocolate divinity! With me there was trouble. Some one had blundered. The shirt went on easily; the tunic went on cosily but the trousers—some one had shuffled those trousers on me. Even a shoe spoon and foot's-ease wouldn't get them to rise to their necessary height. Inspection proved that they were 36; now 36 doesn't do me much good as a waist line!

"There is a net deficit of eight tragic inches, and eight inches short in one waistband is a catastrophe. Yet there we were. It was half past twelve. In six hours more we must be on our way to the front—to the great adventure. Uniforms were imperative. And there was the hiatus! Whereupon Henry rose. He rang for the valet; no response. He rang for the tailor; he was in bed. He rang for the waiter; he was off duty.

"There was just one name left on the call card; so Henry hustled me into an overcoat and rang for the chambermaid! And she appeared as innocent of English as we were of French. It was an awful moment!

But Henry slowly began making gestures and talking in clearly e-nunci-a-ted tones. The gestures were the well-known gestures of his valedictory to the Republican Party at the Chicago Auditorium in 1912—beautiful gestures and impressive. The maid became interested.

"Then he took the recalcitrant trousers, placed them gently but firmly against his friend's heart—or such a matter, showing how far from the ideal they came. Then he laid on the bed a brown woollen shirt, and in the tail of it marked out dramatically a 'V' slice about the shape of an old-fashioned slice of pumpkin pie—a segment ten or a dozen inches wide that would require two hands in feeding.

"Then he pointed from the shirt to the trousers and then to the ample bosom of his friend, indicating with emotion that the huge pie slic was to go into the rear corsage of the breeches.

"It was wonderful to see intelligence dawn in the face of that chambermaid. The gestures of that Bull Moose speech had touched her heart. Suddenly she knew the truth, and it made her free, so she cried, 'Wee, wee!' And oratory had again risen to its proper place in our midst!

"At 2 o'clock she returned with the pumpkin pie slice from the tail of the brown shirt, but hardly gaudily inserted into the rearwaist line of the riding trousers, and we lay down to pleasant dreams; for we found that by standing stiffly erect, by keeping one's tunic pulled down, and by carefully avoiding a stooping posture, it was possible to conceal the facts of one's double life. So we went forth with Major Murphy the next morning as carefree as "Eden's garden birds." We looked like birds, too—scarecrows!"

Some weeks later a heartrending and most embarrassing accident occurs. The editors, led by the fearless Major Murphy, have penetrated a busy section of the front. Big shells are falling near by. Very terrifying and uncomfortable:

"When we got to the edge of the wood and were standing looking through into the French trenches and at Hill 304 off at our right, after the Major had handed Norton the field glasses and Norton had considerately handed them to Henry, who passed them to me for such fleeting glance as politeness might require, the Germans came back with that ball. It came right out of Berlin, too. One could hear it howl as it crossed the Thiergarten and went over Wilhelmstrasse and scream as it whizzed over Bavaria. There never was another such shell.

"And we ducked—all of us. Henry said he never saw me make such a duck—it was the duck of a life time. And then that shell landed. It was a wholesale hardware store that hit—no retail affair. The sound was awful. And then something inside of me or outside tore with an awful rip. We had been reading Dr. Crile's book on the anaesthesia of fear, and suddenly it occurred to me that the shell had hit me and torn a hole in me and that fear had deadened the pain.

"Slowly and in terror my right hand groped back to the place of the wound, expecting every moment to encounter blood and ragged flesh.

"We were still crouched over, waiting for the fountain of junk to cease spraying. Nearer and nearer came the shrinking fingers to the wound. They felt no blood, but something more terrible! There, dangling by its apex hung that pie-shaped slice of shirt from those cotton khaki trousers—ripped clear out! And Paris fifty miles away!

"We went back to the first aid post—me holding those khaki trousers up by sheer force of will, and both hands!"

At intervals through the "Martial Adventure", Mr. White soliloquises over the German point of view and what Wichita and Emporia would think of it. Depicting what the three odd years of war have meant to France, he says:

"As we sat under the shrouded torches in the inn courtyard and considered what life really means to the men and women of St. Dizier, once more we wondered how we at home would react under the terrific punishment which these people are taking; what would Wichita do with her houses bombed, her homes crowded with refugees; her parks and schools and public buildings turned into barracks, her stores filled with gaping empty shelves, her railroad yards clogged with munitions, and ever the mourners going about the street and man to his long home?"

"Henry and Me" go to Italy with Medill McCormick and actually meet the King of Italy, whom they are sure they bore. Finally they get to England and find great contrasts there.

"France expresses her loss in mourning; she relieves her emotions in visible grief. Italy does this also; but her losses have been smaller than the French losses, and Italy's sorrow is less in evidence than is the woe of France. But England's master passion in this war is pride. 'In proud and loving memory' is a phrase that one sees a hundred times a day in the obituary notices of those who have died for England.

"Ambassador Page tells this: He was asking a British matron about her family, severally, and when he inquired about the son, she replied: 'Haven't you heard of the new honor that has come to us through him?' And to her friend's negative she returned: 'He has been called upon to die for England!'"

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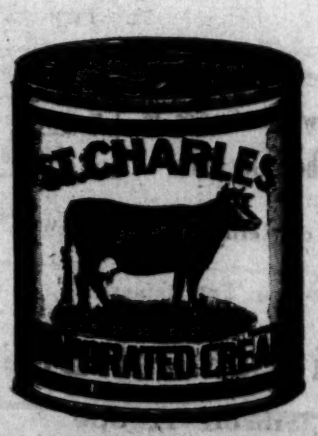

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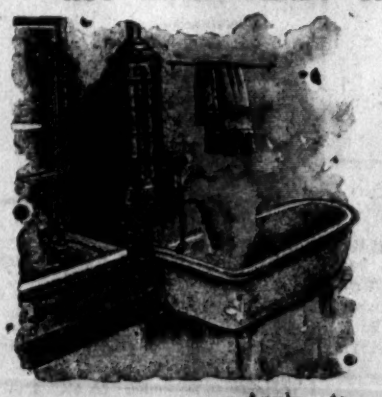

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL NEWS

Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, July 10, 1918.
Money and Bullion

Sovereigns: Bank buying rate,
@ 4/8½ = $4.22
@ cash. 7.28 = Mex. $5.81
Mex. Dollars Market rate: 72.6
Shai Gold Bars: 978 touch Tls. 291
Copper Cash ..... per tael 1812
Gold Dollars: buying rate
@ 112½ = Tls. 88.69
7.28 = Mex. $121.88
Peking Bar ..... —
Native Interest ..... .93

Latest London Quotations
Bar Silver ..... 48⅛d.
Bank Rate of Discount 5%
Market Rate of Discount:—
2 m-s. ..... %
4 m-s. ..... %
6 m-s. ..... %
Exchange on Shanghai, 60 d-s.
Ex. Paris on London ....Fr. 27.35
Ex. N. Y. on London ....T.T. $4.76½
Consols ..... £ —

Exchange Opening Quotations
London ..... T.T. 4/8⅛
London ..... Demand 4/9
India ..... T.T. 215½
Paris ..... T.T. 645½
Paris ..... Demand 648½
New York ..... T.T. 112½
New York ..... Demand 112⅝
Hongkong ..... T.T. 76
Japan ..... T.T. 46½
Batavia ..... T.T. 215½

Banks Buying Rates
Khuhlen ..... 4 m/s. Cdts. 4/10¼d.
London ..... 4 m/s. Docy. 4/10⅛d.
London ..... 6 m/s. Cdts. 4/11⅛d.
London ..... 6 m/s. Docy. 4/11¼d.
Paris ..... 4 m/s. 670½
New York ..... 4 m/s. 116½

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR JULY.

Hk. Tls. 3.81 @ 4/6½		£1
" 1 @ 643		Francs 7.16
" 0.89 @ 112½		Gold $1
" 1 @ 47½		Yen 2.36
" 1 @ 15		Rupees 3.94
" 1 @ —		Roubles —
" 1 @ 1.50		Mex. $1.50

Stock Exchange
Transactions

Shanghai, July 10, 1918.
TODAY'S QUOTATIONS
Official
Shanghai Docks Tls. 125.00
Telephones Tls. 78.00
Oriental Cotton Tls. 54.50
Unofficial
Laou Kung Mow Cotton Tls. 130.00 Sep.
Far Eastern Insurance Tls. 22.00
Dominions Tls. 5.25

Sharebrokers' Association
Transactions

Shanghai, July 10, 1918.
BUSINESS DONE
Unofficial:
Kotas @ Tls. 4.50 cash

BAR SILVER

Reuter's Service
London, July 5.—Today's silver prices were:
Bar Silver, Spot: 48⅛d. Quiet.
Previous Quotation, London, July 4: Bar Silver, Spot: 48⅛d. Steady.

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Yesterday's Prices

STOCK	Quotations Closing
Banks	
H. K. and S. B. ...	$560 B.
Chartered	£71
Russo-Asiatic	R. 250
Marine Insurances	
Canton	$330 B.
North China	Tls. 125 B.
Union of Canton ...	$750 B.
Yangtsze	$190 B.
Far Eastern Ins. Co. Ltd	Tls. 22 B.
Fire Insurances	
China Fire	$132 B.
Hongkong Fire	$320 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Pref ..	Tls. 136
Indo-China Def ..	
"Shell"	135/- B.
Shanghai Tug (o) ..	Tls. 22 B.
Shanghai Tug (f) ..	Tls. 35
Mining	
Kalping	Tls. 10¼ B.
Oriental Cons	27s. 6d.
Philippine	Tls. 0.80
Raub	$2.40 B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	$125 B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 125 B.
New Eng. Works ...	Tls. 20¼ B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf ...	Tls. 72 B.
Hongkong Wharf ..	$88 B.
Lands and Hotels	
Anglo French Land	Tls. 71 B.
China Land	Tls. 50
Shanghai Land ...	Tls. 70½ B.
Weihaiwei Land	Tls 3
Shanghai Hotels Ltd	$12 B.
China Realty (ord)	Tls. 50
China Realty (pref.)	Tls. 50
Cottons Mills	
E-wo	Tls. 180
E-wo Pref	Tls. 97½
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 125 B.
Oriental	Tls. 54 B.
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 147½
Kung Yik	Tls. 15¼
Yangtszepoo	Tls. 8.10
Yangtszepoo Pref ..	Tls. 90
Industrials	
Butler Tile	Tls. 23
China Sugar	$82 B.
Green Island	$6.80
Langkats	Tls. 14
Major Bros	Tls. 5
Shanghai Sumatra	Tls. 65 B.
Stores	
Hall and Holtz	$14
Llewellyn	$50
Lane, Crawford ...	$80
Moutrie	$31
Watson	$5.10 B.
Weeks	$13½
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	Tls. 8½
Amherst	Tls. 0.27½ B.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 6½ B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 3 B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 24
Batu Anam 1913 ..	Tls. 0.70
Bukit Toh Alang ...	Tls. 2 B.
Bute	Tls. 0.70 B.
Chemor United	Tls. 1.02½
Chempedak	Tls. 9
Cheng	Tls. 2.10
Consolidated	Tls. 2¼
Dominion	Tls. 5 B.
Gula Kalumpong ...	Tls. 6.10
Java Consolidated ..	Tls. 11 B.
Kamunting	Tls. 5⅝
Kapala	Tls. 0.50
Kapayang	Tls. 27
Karan	Tls. 11
Kota Bahroes	Tls. 4 B.
Kroewoek Java ...	Tls 10 B.
Padang	Tls. 11⅛
Pengkalan Durian ..	Tls. 5
Permata	Tls. 2⅛
Repah	Tls. 92½
Samagagas	Tls. 0.65 B.
Seekee	Tls. 6
Semambu	Tls. 1.03
Senawang	Tls. 6½ B.
Shanghai Klebang ..	Tls. 0.70
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 7
S'hai Malay-pref ...	Tls. 10.70
Shanghai Pahang ..	Tls. 1 B.
Sungala	Tls. 1.05
Sungei Duri	Tls. 9
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3 B.
S'hai Kalantan	Tls. 0.50 B.
Shanghai Seremban	Tls. 0.50 B.
Taiping	Tls. 1 B.
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.90
Tebong	Tls. 11⅝ B.
Ulobri	Tls. 2½
Ziangbe	Tls. 3½ B.
Miscellaneous	
C. L and E. Lumber	Tls. 140 B.
Culty Dairy	Tls. 10¼
S'hai Elec. and Asb.	$3
Shanghai Trams ...	Tls. 64¼
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 22½ B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 33
Shanghai Mercury .	Tls. 30
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 78 B.
S'hai Waterworks....	Tls. 165

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LONDON RUBBER MARKET

Reuter's Service
London, July 5.—Today's rubber prices were:
Spot: 2s. 2¾d. Paid.
October to December: 2s. 4¼d. Paid.
Tendency of Market: Steady.
London, July 4:
Spot: 2s. 2⅝d. Paid.
October to December: 2s. 4d. Buyers.
Tendency of Market: Very steady.
London, July 3.—Plantation First Latex Crepe.
Spot: 2s. 2⅝d. Paid.
October to December: 2s. 4d. Paid.
Tendency of Market: Very steady.
London, July 2:
Spot: 2s. 2⅝d. Paid.
October to December: 2s. 3⅝d. Paid.
Tendency of Market: Steady.

Tanah Merah Estates (1916), Ltd. Meets

The second annual general meeting of the Tanah Merah Estates (1916), Ltd., was held yesterday afternoon in the offices of the general managers, 2 Kiukiang Road. Mr. E. T. Byrne occupied the chair, supported by Mr. Chun Bing-him, director. Shareholders representing 118,750 shares were present. After the notice convening the meeting and the auditor's report had been read, the chairman said:

"Gentlemen: the report and accounts having been in your hands for some time, I will following the usual course and take them as read.

"As you have been informed in the report 1,470 acres of new land have been taken up between and adjacent to Ah See and Tanah Merah divisions and the planting program has been directed towards connecting the two divisions, 178 acres having been put in hand during the year. In view of the present low prices of rubber and the large amount of immature areas, it has been decided to postpone any further extensions except where contracts for clearing have been entered into. Every possible economy, compatible with the efficient upkeep of the estate, will be exercised while the present uncertainty as to furture prospects remains. The directors trust that prices will improve and that the severe handicap caused by high exchange will be abated, when the former program of development can be resumed.

"The increase in the cost of the rubber is partly due to enhanced cost of factory supplies, etc., and owing to high exchange on the Shanghai charges. A larger proportion of General Charges has also been placed to Revenue Account.

"The output was some 30,000 lbs. short of the estimate, partly owing to thinning out, but chiefly due to unfavorable weather conditions, tapping having been interefered with on 42 days and entirely prevented on 19 days during the year.

"The estate has made very satisfactory progress throughout the year and has been most favorably reported on by the visiting agent, a substantial increase in the yields having resulted as compared with the previous period. Thinning out has been proceeded with, 16,770 trees have been removed bringing the number per acre to just under 110. Further work in this direction is being undertaken, the figure aimed at being 90 per acre, which has been found to give the best results.

"Brown bast has appeared on the estate in common with most others in the country and energetic measures are being taken to remedy this by disinfection of knives and trees, etc. Very little trouble from other diseases or from pests has been experieneed.

"Health conditions have been generally very satisfactory, the improvement over the previous year being well maintained due to the excellent water supply and good housing of the labor force.

"The factory has worked well and no difficulty has been experienced in manufacturing the whole of the first latex sheet with hand labor. The lower grades are still made off the estate, the installation of power is not considered advisable for the present.

"The current year's estimates include an assistant's bungalow and two more lines, but the former is not now necessary and one set of lines will probably be left over until next year.

"Mr. Wyld, the manager, has just gone home on leave, which has been long overdue, and the assistant manager, Mr. Hawes, is in charge. He has two assistants and will not require further foreign help during Mr. Wyld's absence. The directors wish to express their appreciation of the good work done by the managers and the staff.

"The question of reduction of output has had the directors' consideration, but in view of the large area of young rubber, the expense of bringing which to the bearing stage must be borne out of revenue, the company is not in a position to support the scheme.

"If any shareholders have any questions to ask, I shall be pleased to answer them."

No questions were asked and the following resolutions were passed unanimously:

That the report and accounts, together with the recommendations as to disposal of balance at credit of profit and loss account be adopted.—Proposed by the chairman, seconded by Mr. Chun Bing-him.

That Mr. E. T. Byrne be re-elected a director of the company.—Proposed by Mr. Chun Bing-him, seconded by Mr. W. A. Ogden.

That Mr. R. C. B. Fennell be re-elected auditor for the company.—Proposed by Mr. C. R. Burkill, seconded by Mr. J. V. C. Davis.

Padang Rubber Co. Pays Final Dividend

The Padang Rubber Co., Ltd., held its eighth annual general meeting in the offices of the general managers, Messrs. A. R. Burkill and Sons, yesterday afternoon. Mr. E. T. Byrne presided and there were also present Mr. Chun Bing-him, director, and shareholders representing 7,765 shares. The notice convening the meeting and the auditor's report having been read, the chairman said:

"Gentlemen: The report and accounts having been in your hands for some time, I will follow the usual course and take them as read.

"A comparison of the report and accounts with those of the previous year will impress on shareholders the serious fall in prices and the loss owing to high exchange, although the output was some 11,000 lbs. more the income from rubber in taels was little more than half. The directors consider it necessary to take the securities at their tael value at the end of each financial year, and the heavy exchange loss this year makes a further reduction in the profits. I would point out, however, that when exchange resumes its normal level, the same method of valuation will show large exchange profits in the accounts.

"The conservative policy of the directors in previous prosperous years has enabled them to recommend the payment of a final dividend of 5%, making a total of 15% for the year, which under present conditions I think shareholders will agree can only be regarded as extremely satisfactory. The Company will then have paid 99% in dividends since its incorporation in 1910, and as the accounts show, after payment of this final dividend there remain ample cash funds.

"The output of rubber for the year under review was again considerably in excess of the estimate, but the management could hardly anticipate the still further increase in the yield per tree. The estimate for the current year is 300,000 lbs. the directors, however, intend to rest some of the older planted areas, as it will undoubtedly be of ultimate benefit to the estate, and as the company is in a position to support the scheme for general curtailment of output, the directors think that they should do so.

"Considerable extension work has been carried out and there now remains only about 150 acres of the estate uncultivated. It is proposed to fell and burn this year 80 acres of this land, leaving it to lie fallow until a suitable time for planting up occurs.

"The question of disease has given cause for considerable anxiety brown bast having made its appearance on the estate. The cutting out of some 9,000 trees has removed most of the bad cases and every precaution is being taken to remedy the disease.

"Estate matters generally have worked well and smoothly throughout the year, and there is nothing that calls for special comment.

"The directors wish to express their appreciation of the good work of the Manager, Mr. Low, and his staff, and also of the good care of the company's interest taken by Messrs. Kennedy and Co., the local agents in Penang.

"If any shareholders has any questions to ask I shall be pleased to answer them."

The following resolutions were then passed:

That the report and accounts as presented be adopted.—Proposed by the chairman, seconded by Mr. Chun Bing-him.

That Mr. E. T. Byrne be re-elected a director of the company.—Proposed by Mr. Chun Bing-him, seconded by Mr. E. Loureiro.

That Mr. Chun Bing-him be re-elected a director of the company.—Proposed by the chairman, seconded by Mr. W. A. Ogden.

That Mr. R. C. B. Fennell be re-elected auditor of the company.—Proposed by Mr. E. Loureiro, seconded by Mr. J. V. C. Davis.

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Cotton Market

In their report for week ending June 11, Messrs. J. Spunt and Co., write as follows:—

China Cotton.—The placid course the Cotton market has again been disturbed by cross currents in the shape of an exceedingly favorable Bureau report issued in America giving the condition of the Cotton crop there at 85.68, which in round figures represent a crop in the neighborhood of 15,000,000 bales, naturally such a large crop was far from what was generally expected and hence a slump on the Osaka and local markets. Whether the report mentioned above will be substantiated by other private firms remains problematical and we would therefore ask our friends here to adopt a cautious waiting policy, as there are many critical periods to abridge before the final out-turn of the new crop becomes generally known.

Taking the situation on the whole, we are of opinion that the local market for the coming season cannot be influenced so much by the American report as hithertofore, as owing to the peculiar situation brought about by the present war, more will depend on the size of the China New crop coupled by the takings of the Japanese mills, the latter being more dependent on the China staple than past years and should business be anywhere near normal in Japan we feel sure that they can consume a good part of our crop at favorable rates and hence hasty bearish sentiments should be discounted. Tone of the market. Steady.

Liverpool:
Egyptian Cotton, F. G. F. Sakellaridis 28.82
Price of Fine M. C. Bengal 17.38
Price of Good-Americans 22.92
Price of Good Americans last reported 22.82
Tone of market, Firm.
New York Market:
Price of Mid American. 24.62 October. Market. Steady.
Indian Market:
Broach ..... Rs. 707 per Candy. Market. Quiet.

Exchange Market

Messrs. Maitland and Fearon in their report for week ending Wednesday, July 10, 1918, write as follows:

Exchange:—The London price of silver has remained unchanged throughout the week at 48⅛d. Our local rate for T. T. on London, influenced by sales of Yen under the recently arranged advance of Yen. 10,000,000 to the Chinese Government and by resales of T. T. on London for forward delivery by Gold Dealers, has advanced ½d. to 4/8⅝d. At the close there is a premium of ¼d. to ½d. offered for cash, but very little business in connection with Imports or Exports doing. Our local tock of sycee and bar silver at Tls. 26,783,000 is about Tls. 450,000 higher than last week. The stock of Chinese and Mexican Dollars at $18,950,000 is slightly lower.

U. K. METAL MARKET

Reuter's Service
London, July 5.—Today's metal prices were:

	£ s. d.
Standard Copper G. M. B. f. o. b. .....(Nom.)	122 5 0
American Electrolytic 99 90% Copper f. o. b.	137 0 0
Lead L. B. o. i. f. per ton....	Nominal
Soft Lead "Spanish" f. o. b. (nett)	29 0 0
Quicksilver, Second hand Ex Warehouse f. o. b. (1a. Extra in flask)	Nominal
Muntz Metal, f. o. b. London or Liverpool (less ½%)...	Nominal
Standard Tin (Cash)	339 10 0
Spelter (ordy soft) f. o. b....	52 0 0
Galvanised Sheets 24 Gauge f. o. b.	26 5 0
Standard Tin (3 Month).....	339 10 0

COMMERCIAL CABLES

Reuter's Service
London, July 5.—Today's rates prices and deliveries were:

Consols 2½% for a-c.....	56d.
Cheques on London at Paris	Fr.27.16½
T.T. on London at New York	G.4.76½
Bar Silver (Spot)	48⅛d.
Bank of England Rate of Discount	5%
Market rate of Discount.....	3½%
Cotton; Egyptian Fully Good Fair Sakellaridies	28.82d.
Cotton; M. G. Fine Scinde and Bengal	17.28d.
Cotton; Good-Middling Americaas	22.92d.
Plantation Rubber July (paid)	2s. 3d.
Hornsbys 8¼ lb. Shirtings...	30s. 0d.
Calverts 10 lb. Shirtings	Unquoted
Taylors 40s. Yarn	Unquoted

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"Putting It Over"
Comedy

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For July 11th
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"The Year of the Locust"
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Bankers:
In France: Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris; Credit Lyonnais; Banque de Pari et des Pays-Bas; Credit Industriel et Commercial; Societe Generale.
In London: The Union of London and Smith's Bank, Ltd.; Comptoir National d'Escompte des Paris; Credit Lyonnais.

This Shanghai Agency undertakes all banking operations and exchange business, grants credits on goods and approved securities and receives deposits on current and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN.
Manager.

Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital ..... Francs 45,000,000
one-third of the Capital, i. e. Frs. 15,000,000, subscribed by
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC

Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11, 1913.

President Andre Berthelot.
General Manager, A. J. Pernotte.

Head Office
74, Rue St. Lazare, Paris.
Branches in Peking, Tientsin, Shanghai, Saigon and Hongkong
BANKERS:
In France: Societe Generale pour le Development du Commerce et du l'Industrie en France.
In London: London, County and Westminster Bank Ltd.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts in Gold or Local currency and Fixed Deposits on application.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Savings accounts in Gold and Local currency.

G. LION,
Manager.

1, French Bund, Shanghai.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Paid-up Capital $15,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £1,500,000 @ 2s. $15,000,000
Silver 19,500,000
$34,500,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors $15,000,000

Head Office: HONGKONG
Court of Directors:
Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak, Chairman
G. T. M. Edkins, Esq. Deputy Chairman.
F. C. Butcher, Esq.
A. H. Compton, Esq.
S. H. Dodwell, Esq.
C. S. Gubbay, Esq.
Hon. Mr. D. Landale.
E. V. D. Parr, Esq.
W. L. Pattenden, Esq.
Chief Manager.
Hongkong—N. J. Stabb.

Branches and Agencies:

Amoy	Ipoh	Peking
Bangkok	Johore	Penang
Batavia	Kobe	Rangoon
Bombay	Kuala Lumpur	Saigon
Calcutta	London	S. Francisco
Canton	Lyons	Shanghai
Colombo	Malacca	Singapore
Foochow	Manila	Sourabaya
Hankow	Nagasaki	Tientsin
Harbin	New York	Tsingtao
Iloilo		Yokohama

London Bankers:
London County and Westminster Bank, Ltd.

Shanghai Branch: 12, The Bund.
Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Local Bills Discounted
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa, China, Japan and America.

A. G. STEPHEN.
Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid)	65,000,000
Reserve Fund	26,900,000
	Kpg. Tls.
Capital Contributed by the Chinese Government	3,500,000
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

Head office: Petrograd.
Paris office: 9, Rue Boudreau.
London office: 64, Old Broad St., E.C.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co,
Paris: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Development de Commerce et de l'Industrie en France. Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
Lyons: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Development du Commerce et de l'Iodustrie en France.

Far Eastern Branches and Agencies

Bombay	Harbin	Peking
Chanchun	Hongkong	Shanghai
Chefoo	Newchwang	Tientsin
Dairen	Nicolayowsk	Vladivostock
Hailan	O/Amur	Yokohama
Hankow		

81 Branches and Agencies in Russia, Siberia and Mongolia

SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on Current Account and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars and Roubles. Terms on application.

Local Bills discounted. Special facilities for Russian Exchange.

Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.

Safe Deposit Boxes.

L. JEZIERSKI,
G. CARRERE,
managers for China, Japan and India.

The Bank of Canton, Limited.

Incorporated 1912.

Capital (fully paid) .....H.$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund .....H.$ 240,000.00
Investment reserve fund H.$ 40,000

Head Office
No. 6 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong.

Shanghai Office
No. 2 Ningpo Road.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to Arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

C. C. WONG,
Asst. Manager.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital .. $60,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital 12,270,800.00
Reserve Fund $1,298,552.60
Special Reserve Fund $1,898,923.65

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Changchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tainan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtau	Yangchow	Chungking

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
3 Hankow Road.

Loans granted on approved securities. Local bills discounted. Interest allowed on Tael Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum, on Dollar Current Accounts at 1 per cent. per annum, and on Fixed Deposits at the following rates:
For 3 months at the rate of 3 per cent per annum.
For 6 months at the rate of 4 per cent per annum.
For 12 months at the rate of 5 per cent per annum.

SUNG HAN CHANG,
Manager.

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Filiale de la Societe Generale de Belgique
Societe Anonyme
Paid-Up Capital ... Frs. 30,000,000

Head Office: BRUSSELS.
London office: 2 Bishopsgate.
Branches at Peking, Tientsin, Alexandria, Cairo (Egypt,) and Rotterdam

President:
JEAN JADOT
Gouvernor Societe Generale de Belgique.

Bankers:
London: Martin's Bank, Ltd.
Brussels: Societe Generale de Belgique.
Antwerp: Banque d'Anvers.
Paris: Banque de l'Union Parisienne, Societe Annoyme.
Lyons and Marseilles: Comptoir National d'Escompte d'Paris.
New York: National City Bank of New York.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts Taels and fixed deposits according to arrangements.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

M. DEMETS,
Manager for China.

Yokohama Specie Bank, Limited

(Established 1880.)

Head Office: Yokohama, Japan.

Capital Subscribed . Yen 48,000,000
Capital Paid-up ... Yen 42,000,000
Reserve Fund ..... Yen 23,100,000

London Bankers:
The London County Westminster and Parr's Bank, Ltd.
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England Ltd
The London Joint Stock Bank, Ltd.

Branches and Agencies

Bombay	London	S. Francisco
Buenos Ayres	Los Angeles	Seattle
Calcutta	Lyons	Shanghai
Changchun	Manila	Shimonoseki
Dalny	Mukden	Singapore
Hankow	Nagasaki	Sourabaya
Harbin	Newchwang	Sydney
Hongkong	New York	Tientsin
Honolulu	Osaka	Tokio
Kaiyuen	Peking	Tsinanfu
Kobe	Rangoon	Tsingtau

SHANGHAI BRANCH

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars, according to arrangement.

Drafts granted on principal places in Japan, Korea, Formosa, China and the chief commercial places in Europe, India and America.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

K. KODAMA, Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial and Savings Bank, Ltd.

9, Ningpo Road.

Paid-Up Capital $300,000.00
Reserve $15,000.00
Deposits (Dec. 31, 1917). $2,067,768.24

Correspondents at principal cities in China, and domestic exchange a speciality.

Credits granted on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Current accounts in both taels and dollars with interest, may be opened on application.

Particulars of interest allowed on fixed deposits, in both taels and dollars, will be furnished on request.

K. P. CHEN,
General Manager.

International Banking Corporation

Capital & Surplus U.S. $6,500,000.00
Undivided Profits U.S. $1,348,000.00
U.S. $7,848,000.00

Head Office:
55 Wall Street, New York
National City Bank Building.

London Office.
16 Bishopsgate, E. C.

Branches:

Batavia	Kobe	San Francico
Bombay	London	Santo Domingo
Calcutta	Manila	Santiago de los Caballeros
Canton	Medellin	
Cebu	Panama	Shanghai
Colon	Peking	Singapore
(Cristobal C.Z.)		Tientsin
Hongkong	San Pedro de Macoris	Yokohama

Through its close affiliation with the NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK, the Corporation is able to offer the special services of the Branches of that Institution established at:—

Bahia	Petrograd
Buenos Aires	Rio de Janeiro
Caracas,	Santiago de Cuba
Genoa	Santos
Habana	San Paulo
Moscow, Russia	Valparaiso
Montevideo	

The Corporation issues Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit and Travellers' Cheques, receives money on CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNT and FIXED DEPOSIT on terms which may be ascertained on application, and transacts all other descriptions of Banking and Exchange business.

H. C. GULLAND.
Manager.
1a Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(Netherland Trading Society.)

Established 1824.
Paid-up-Capital—
Guilders 70,000,000 (about £5,833,333)
Reserve Fund—
Guilders 11,595,461, (about £966,288)
Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM.
Branches:

Bandjermasin	Padang	Soerakarta
Bandoeng	Palembang	Tebing-Tinggi
Cheribon	Pekalongan	Tegal
Djember	Penang	Telok-Betong
Djokjakarta	Pontianak	Tjilatjap
Hongkong	Rangoon	Weltevreden
Kota-Radja	Semarang	
Langsa	Singapore	
Makassar	Soerabaya	
Medan		

London Bankers:
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells, and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

Current accounts kept in taels and dollars.

Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

B. G. J. WYNBERG.
manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund, and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1, or over $100, will be received at one time.

Not more than $1,200 will be received in one year from any single depositor whose credit balance shall not at any time exceed the sum of $5,000.

Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent per annum will be allowed on the monthly minimum balance. Deposits may be withdrawn on demand. Accounts will be kept either in Mexican Dollars or Taels, at the option of the depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

Office Hours—10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

Commercial Bank of China

Head office: SHANGHAI

Subscribed Capital Sh. Tls. 5,000,000
Paid-up Capital .. Sh. Tls. 2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On Deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. S. MARSHALL.
Chief Manager.

The Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.

Authorised Capital £1,500,000
Subscribed Capital 1,125,000
Paid-up Capital 562,500
Reserve Fund 450,000

Head Office, 15 Gracechurch Street, London, E. C.

London Joint Stock Bank, Ltd.
Branches & Agencies.

Bombay	Howrah	Madras
Calcutta	Handy	Penang
Colombo	Karachi	Port Louis
Delhi	Kota Bahru	(Mauritius)
Galle	(Kelantan)	Rangoon
Hongkong	Kuala Lumpur	Shanghai
	Singapore	

Shanghai Branch.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Tael Current Accounts at 2% per annum and on Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained on application.

R. D. YOUNG,
Manager.
26 The Bund. 9752

BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

Specially authorised by Presidential Mandates of April 7th, 1914, and October 31st, 1915.
Paid-Up
Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE PEKING.
50 Branches and Agencies at principal commercial places in China.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
35 Szechuen Road.

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

H. TAO, Manager.
Y. M. CHIEN, Sub-Manager

SUMITOMO BANK, LIMITED

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
N. 1 Kiukiang Road

Capital ..... Yen 30,000,000

President, Baron K. Sumitomo

Head Office: OSAKA

Branches:
Important places in Japan

London, New York, San Francisco, seattle, Honolulu, Bombay and Hankow.

Banking Business in General Foreign Exchange Business, Travellers' and Commercial Letters of Credit, Correspondents throughout the World.

S. Kasahara,
Manager.

Telephones:—
2318 Manager. 4663 Compradore.
2350 Gen. Office. 4621 Nights only.
3536 General Office.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

(formerly known as The Chekiang Shing Nih Chartered Bank, Ltd.)

Established 1907.

Paid-Up Capital $1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund 266,000.00

Head Office: Shanghai.
14, Peking Road.
(Telephone Nos. 2612 and 3614.)

Branches:
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits both in taels and dollars according to arrangement.

Interest allowed on Savings Account at 4% per annum.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Shen Chu Hsu, Manager.
Shu Chin Mih, Sub-Manager.
U. G. Yang, Sub-Manager

THE CHINA PRESS MAIL SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, JULY 11, 1918

Date and Destination	Per	Chi.	Br.	USA	Rns.	Jap.	Rec.
Today							
N'saki, Kobe, Yokohama, Canada, U.S.A. and Europe via Canada or U S A.			17.00	..	..		17.00
Nagasaki	Tategami m.			..	..	a20.00	19.30
Japan Ports	do	16.00		..	..	..	19.30
Amoy and Hongkong			11.30	..	..	..	
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00		..	..	..	21.00
Amoy, Hongkong and Canton	Suiyang	19.00	..		..		11.30
Swatow	Kaifong	11.00	18.30	..	..	..	19.30
Newchwang	Feiching	21.00			..	..	21.00
Hankow		..	17.00		..	..	
Ningpo		..	14.00		..	..	
Peking and T'tsin (Every day	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	17.00
T'tsin (Daily except Sunday)		..	15.00	..	..	..	..
Friday, July 12.							
Moji	Omi maru			..	..	a20.00	19 30
Japan Ports	Omi maru	18.0	17.00	..	..		17.00
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00		..	..	..	21.00
Saturday, July 13.							
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00		..	..	..	21.00
Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin			17.00				
Tsingtao, Manchuria & Dalny	Kobe maru	11.30		..	..	..	11.00
Swatow			17.00	..	..	..	..
Sunday, July 14.							
N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama, Canada, Honolulu, U.S. & Europe, via Hon l-lu	Rindjani			18.00	..	..	17.00
Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	Nanking	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
Swatow	Holhow	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Monday, July 15.							
Honskong			17.00	..	..	..	..
Hongkong and Canton	Sungkiang	21.00			..	..	21.00
Tuesday, July 16.							
Moji	Chikuzen maru	..		..	..	a21.00	19.30
Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	Shuntien	14.00	10.30	..	..	..	13.30
Japan ports	Chikuzen maru	18.00	..	..	..	..	17.00

B Letters and boxes with declared value 7.30 p.m. Parcel post 4 p.m. and money orders 3 p.m.

Mails for Hankow close every day at 11.30 a.m. and 9 p.m. Registration at 11.30 a.m. and 8.30 p.m. and for Peking and Tientsin every day at 3 p.m. Registration at 5 p.m. at the Russian Post Office.

行 業 孚 中
CHUNG FOO UNION BANK

(Established in 1917)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1916
Head office: Tientsin
Subscribed Capital $2,000,000
Paid-up Capital $1,020,000

Managing Director:
SUN TAO SAN.

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities:

Tientsin	Chinkiang
Shanghai	Soochow
Peking	Wusieh
Hankow	Hangchow
Nanking	Ningpo
Yangchow	Shaohsing
Hsuchow	Canton
Pengpu	Hongkong
Tsingkianpu	

Agencies and Correspondents in foreign countries:
London, International Banking Corporation.
New York, International Banking Corporation.
San Francisco, International Banking Corporation.
Tokyo, Bank of Chosen.
Kobe, Bank of Chosen.
Osaka, Bank of Chosen.
Yokohama, Bank of Taiwan.
and also other principal cities in foreign countries.

SHANGHAI BRANCH,
8.441 Ningpo Road.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. R. Sun, Manager.
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.
Telephone No. 2618 General Office.
Telephone No. 1929 Manager's Office.

MITSUI BANK, LTD

SHANGHAI BRANCH
3 Foochow Road

Capital (Paid-up) ..... *Yen 20,000,000.*
Reserve ..... *" 12,550,000.*
Head Office: Tokyo, Japan.
President: Baron Takayasu Mitsui.

Branches:
Osaka, Nishi (Osaka), Kobe, Yokohama, Nagasaki, Moji, Fukuoka, Shimonoseki, Hiroshima, Kyoto, Nagoya, Fukagawa (Tokyo). Otaru.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Barclays Bank, Ltd The London City and Midland Bank, Ltd.
New York: The National City Bank of New York. The Guaranty Trust Co. of New York.

Every description of Banking and Foreign Exchange Business Transacted.

S. KENJOH, Manager.

Local Outports Mail

Permanent Notice

Destination	Mails Close	Daily.
Shanghai-Nanking Train	a.m.	p.m.
Soochow, Wusih, Changchow, Tanyang, Chinkiang, Nanking, Hankow and North China.	7.00	
Soochow, Wusih, Chinkiang, Nanking and all intermediate places	8.00	
	9.00	
Nanking all River Ports	11.30	
Soochow, Wuish, Changchow, Chinkiang, Soochow, Wusih and intermediate places ...		2.30
Soochow, Wusih, Changchow and intermediate places		4.30
Soochow, Wusih, Changchow, Chinkiang, Nanking and all River Ports North China ..		9.00
Shanghai-Hangchow Train		
Sinchwang, (and Szeking), Sungkiang, Fengking, Kashan, Kashing, Wangtien, Siashih, (and Tunghianghsien), Changan. (also Shihmen and Shihmenwan), Linping, (and Tangai), and Hangchow (also Huchow)	6.30	
	8.00	
Sinchwang, Sungkiang, Fengking, Kashan, Kashing, (& Tangai), Siashih, (and Tunghianghsien), Changan, Huchow, Nanzin and (also Shihmen and Shihmenwan), Linping and Hangchow (also Shaohing and Siaoshan)		1.30
Sungkiang, Kashing, Hangchow and intermediate places ...		2.30
Ningpo via Hangchow		
Linghu	11.00	
Minhang, Nankiao and Tukiahang	8.00	
	11.00	
Tatwan, Nanhwei, Fengsien and Sinchang ..	7.00	
	11.00	
Courier.		
Chowpu	6.30	
	11.00	
Foot Boat.		
Chwansha	6.45	
	11.00	
Cycle Rider		
Siccawei and Taipac ..	8.00	2.00
	10.00	4.00
		6.00
Kiangnan Arsenal	8.00	2.00
	11.00	4.00
Sundays only		1.30
Woosung Train.	Close	Daily.
Woosung (also Paoshan and Kiangwan)	5.05	2.10
	7.00	5.00
	10.10	6.30
	11.45	
Steamer.		Daily.
		Sundays expected
Ningpo, Chinhai, Tinghai and Wenchow ..		3.30
Steam Launch.	Close	Daily.
	a.m.	p.m.
Tsungming, Paochen, Haimenting and Miaochen	7.00	5.00
	11.00	
Chuking and Pinghu ..	8.00	

GENERAL SHIPPING NEWS

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
July 15	—	San Francisco	Rindjani	Dut.	H.C.T. Co.
July 19	—	San Francisco	Shinyo Maru	Jap.	Alexander
July 20	—	Vancouver	Empress of Japan	Br.	C.P.R.
July 20	—	San Francisco	Venezuela	Am.	P.M. S.S. Co.
July 27	—	Tacoma & Seattle	Manila Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
July 29	—	Seattle, etc.	Katori Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
July 31	—	Vancouver	Monteagle	Br.	C.P.R.
Aug. 10	—	San Francisco	Nanking	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
Aug. 15	—	Vancouver	Key West	Br.	C.P.R.
Aug. 15	—	Tacoma and Seattle	Attai Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
Aug. 17	—	San Francisco	Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Aug. 19	—	Seattle, etc.	Suwa Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Sept. 14	—	Vancouver	E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.R.
Oct. 5	—	Vancouver	Monteagle	Br.	C.P.R.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

July 12	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Tategami Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
July 13	—	Moji, Kobe & Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
July 15	—	Kobe	Sado Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
July 17	—	Moji, Kobe & Osaka	Chikuzen Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
July 19	—	N'saki, Kobe & Y'hama	Yamashiro Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
July 19	—	Nagasaki	Penza	Rus.	R.V.F.
July 20	—	Moji, Kobe & Osaka	Takeshima Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
July 23	—	N'saki, Kobe & Y'hama	Chikugo Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
July 24	—	Moji, Kobe & Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

—	Marseilles	Shokwa Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
—	Port Said	Esan Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
—	Liverpool, etc.	Mishima Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
—	London, etc.	Kanagawa Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

July 11	noon	Swatow	Kaifong	Br.	B. & S.
July 11	4.00	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
July 11	1.00	Amoy, H'kong & C'ton	Suiyang	Br.	B. & S.
July 11	—	Hongkong	Kwangtah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
July 12	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
July 12	4.00	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.N. Co.
July 13	8.00	Ningpo & Pootoo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
July 15	D.L.	Swatow	Hoihow	Br.	B. & S.
July 16	D.L.	Hongkong and Canton	Sungkiang	Br.	B. & S.
July 16	—	Hongkong	Chicago Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
July 16	—	F'chow, K'lung, Takao	Kohoku Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
July 18	—	Hongkong	Monteagle	Br.	C.P.R.
July 18	D.L.	Amoy, H'kong & Canton	Sunning	Br.	B. & S.
July 20	—	Hongkong	Key West	Br.	C.P.R.
July 23	—	Hongkong and Manila	Nanking	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
July 23	—	Hongkong and Manila	Suwa Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Aug. 28	—	H'kong & Singapore	Mexico Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
July 27	—	Hongkong and Manila	Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

July 11	—	Tsingtao	Yekishin Maru	Jap.	D.K.K.
July 11	—	Chinwangtao	Upolu	Jap.	K.M.A.
July 11	—	Chefoo and Tientsin	Taishun	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
July 12	—	Newchwang	Feiching	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
July 13	1.30	Dairen	Kobe Maru	Jap.	S.M.R.
July 14	10.00*	W'wei, C'foo & T'tsin	Shengking	Br.	B. & S.
July—14	—	Tsingtao	Noto Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
July 15	—	T'tsin, Dairen, T'tao	Keelung Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
July 16	4.00	Tsingtao & Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap.	S.M.R.
July 16	3.00	W'wei, C'foo & T'tsin	Shuntien	Br.	B. & S.
July 19	—	Vladivostock	Penza	Rus.	R.V.F.

FOR RIVER PORTS

July 11	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br.	J.M. & Co.
July 11	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
July 11	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tachang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
July 12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
July 12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br.	B. & S.
July 12	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tafoo Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
July 13	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Nanyang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
July 13	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br.	B. & S.
July 16	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br.	B. & S.
July 17	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wenchow	Br.	B. & S.

*A.M. M.N.—MIDNIGHT. D.L.—DAYLIGHT.

Arrivals

Arrived		From	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
July 10	—	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
July 10	—	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.N. Co.
July 10	—	Hankow	Luenho	Br.	J.M. & Co.
July 10	—	Hankow	Changwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
July 10	—	Swatow	Kaifong	Br.	B. & S.
July 10	—	Japan	Tategami Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
July 10	—		Omi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.

Departures

Date		For	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
July 10	—	Foochow	Haean	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
July 10	noon	Swatow	Tamsui	Br.	B. & S.
July 10	—	Hongkong	Hsintah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
July 10	D.L.	W'wei, C'foo & T'tsin	Koonshing	Br.	J.M. & Co.
July 10	—	Newchwang	Toonan	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
July 10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br.	B. & S.
July 10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
July 10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Siangyang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
July 10	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ningshao	Br.	H.O. S.S. Co
July 10	—	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
July 10	—	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.N. Co.

Vessels Loading

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Str. Luenho tons 2868 Capt. Jackson, will leave on Thursday, July 11, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Passengers Tel. No. 240, Freight Tel. No. 250.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Co.'s Str. Tachang Maru Capt. H. Yamasita, will be despatched from N.K.K. Pootung wharf on Thursday, July 11, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight and Passage apply to The Nisshin Kisen Kaisha No. 5 The Bund. Tel. No. 3256.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. **Navigation Co.'s Steamer Ngankin, Captain Newcomb, will leave** from the French Bund on Saturday, July 13, at about 12 o'clock midnight. **For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield & Swire, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.**

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Co.'s Str. **Nanyang Maru, Captain K.** Takesita, will be despatched from N.Y.K. Mail wharf on Saturday, July 13, at about 12 o'clock midnight For Freight and Passage apply to The Nisshin Kisen Kaisha, No. 5 The Bund. Tel. No. 3256.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The China **Navigation Co.'s Str. Tatung** Capt. C. C. Williams, will leave from the French Bund on Tuesday, July 16, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield & Swire, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

For Southern Ports

SWATOW.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. Kaifong, Capt. E. J. Fottinger, will leave on Thursday, July 11, at noon. For Freight or Passage apply to Butterfield and Swire Agents French Bund Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

AMOY, HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. Suiyang, Captain J. Gibbs, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on Thurday, July 11, at 1 p.m. For Freight or Passage apply to Butterfield & Swire Agents. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HONGKONG.—The Str. Kwangtah, Capt. Stewart, will leave on Thursday morning. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

NINGPO.—The China Navigation Co's Str. Hsin Peking, Captain A. Scott, R.N.R., will leave from the French Bund on Friday, July 12, at 4.30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield & Swire, Agents, French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

POOTOO.—The Str. Kiangteen, Capt. Glen, will leave on Saturday, afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. Sungking Capt. H. Trowbridge, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on Tuesday, July 16, at daylight. For Freight or Passage apply to Butterfield and Swire Agents Freight Tel. No. 77. Passage Tel. No. 401.

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WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. Shengking Capt. McIntosh, will leave from the French Bund on Sunday, July 14, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield & Swire Agents French Bund Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401

TSINGTAO.—The Str. Noto Maru Capt. K. Miya, will be despatched on July 14. For Freight, please apply to The Osaka Shosen Kaisha, No. 4, The Bund, Tel. No. 4234 and 4235.

WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Fengtien, Captain Harris, will leave from the French Bund on Tuesday, July 16, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield and Swire, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

For Foreign Ports

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2000	835	300	0	dep. Peking arr.	2250	1930	1020
2345	1112	635	. .	arr. Tientsin-Central dep.	1935	1700	720
2350	1117	640	84	dep. Tientsin-Central arr.	1930	1653	710
000	1125	650	. .	arr. Tientsin-East dep	1920	1645	700
1980	530	2310	524	arr. Mukden dep	2300	. .	1040

Local 5.	Mail 3. B. s.			Tientsin-Pukow Line			Mail 4. B. s.	Local 6.
715	1130	—	0	dep. Tientsin-East	arr.	—	1705	1612
735	1150	—	2.71	arr. Tientsin Central	dep.	—	1645	1602
745	1200	—		dep. Tientsin-Central	arr.	—	1631	1547
1123	1500	—	78	dep. Tsangchow	dep.	—	1332	1221
1451	1746	—	148	dep. Techow	dep.	—	1043	926
1801	2021	—	—	arr. Tsinanfu	dep.	—	808	640
7.	‡	—	220	‡		—	‡	8.
830	2031	—	—	dep. Tsinanfu	arr.	—	756	1812
1009	2231	—	266	dep. Taianfu	dep.	—	601	1542
1300	038	—	318	arr. Yenchowfu	dep.	—	343	1311
1345	042	—		dep. Yenchowfu	arr.	—	329	1258
1548	316	—	377	dep. Lincheng	dep.	—	120	1032
1846	450	—	—	arr. Hanchowfu	dep.	—	2336	810
9.	‡	—	420	‡		—	‡	10.
630	457	—	—	dep. Hanchowfu	arr.	—	2329	2007
1156	838	—	523	arr. Pengpu	dep.	—	1958	1442
1206	849	—		dep. Pengpu	arr.	—	1946	1432
1657	1156	—	600	dep. Chuchow	dep.	—	1648	928
1849	1350	—	631	arr. Pukow	dep.	—	1530	728

Express 16 B. S.	Express 10 B.			Shanghai-Nanking Line			Express 1. B.	Express 15. B. S.
. .	1430	. .	0	dep. Nanking-Ferry	arr.	. .	1410	. .
2200	1430	. .	. .	dep. Nanking	arr.	. .	1415	650
700	2130	. .	193	arr. Shanghai-North	dep.	. .	755	2300

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930	1350	2150	d. Yenchowfu a.	610	1230	2000	530	1110	1800	d. Lincheng a.	810	1410	2100
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China Press Correspondence

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The conference opened July Fourth and closes tomorrow. The daily program includes five hours of solid work on the religious problems of students. The balance of the day is given to athletic tournaments and social events.

At noon each day the delegates who have been working in different groups gather for an address on some general problem.

Yesterday the conference was addressed by Han S. T. Wen, advisor to the Governor of Kiangsu, a well known Christian leader. A special address was given by Dr. Frank K. Sanders of New York who had the honor of having organised the first Student Young Men's Christian Association in mission lands.

Today the main address was given by C. C. Nieh, Esq. of Shanghai, well known here as the son of the former Governor of this Province.

The annual track meet is to come off this afternoon and as many of the college stars of this section are among the delegates some good records are expected.

Not the least feature of the conference is the wealth of hospitality heaped upon the delegates by the faculty and students of Soochow University in whose spacious grounds the conference is being held.

This is a conference of hard work, training these leaders of religious work for their important task in the schools of this Kiangnan region but leave it to a hundred college boys to have something doing every hour and it is a conference chuck full of life and dash.

There is special interest in this conference because it is an anniversary of the first conference of this kind ever held in China on these same grounds fourteen years ago. Since that time ten other annual conferences of this kind have been organised in different parts of China. Telegrams of greeting were sent yesterday from this conference to similar ones in Shansi, Kuling and far away Chengtu. The largest of these conferences was held last week near Peking where in the famous temple of the sleeping Buddha 230 students of North China held their annual conference.

Conferences have already been held in Foochow, and Taianfu and others have been prepared for Canton, Swatow, Kaifeng and Kirin.

They are all planned and conducted by the National Committee of the Y. M. C. A. with headquarters at 4 Quinsan Gardens, Shanghai, and the schools of China have reason to be greatly indebted to this organisation for promoting such helpful schools of training for student workers.

BRITAIN HAS ABIDED BY HAGUE CONVENTION

Has Lived Up To Provision Concerning Hospital Ships, Commons Is Told

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, July 8.—In the House of Commons today, Mr. T. J. Macnamara stated that German submarines on several occasions have exercised the right of searching hospital ships in order to see that they are complying with the Hague Convention. He emphasised that Great Britain has never broken the letter or spirit of the Hague Convention with regard to hospital ships and he believed the same was true regarding her Allies.

MUNICIPAL STAFF CHANGES

The following changes in the Municipal staff are reported in the Municipal Gazette, as taken from the order books for the week ending July 6:

Police Force.—Sub-Inspector C. Mills is invalided from June 30.

Public Band.—Two and a half months' leave is granted to Musician M. Muyot from August 15.

Voluntary War Services.—The provisions of the arrangement contained in the Gazette of October 15, 1914, are extended to American employes.

Public Works Department.—Mr. K. H. Gardner, temporary Assistant Engineer, is permitted to avail himself of the provisions of the arrangement contained in the Gazette of October 15, 1914, from July 31.

Y. M. C. A. CONFERENCE

China Press Correspondence

Kuling, July 5.—The largest Student Conference ever held in the Yangtsze Valley was opened by the Young Men's Christian Association today at Lily Valley. One hundred and eighty-five students and leaders from six provinces were registered when the meeting was called to order by the chairman of the conference, Mr. Shen Wen-ching. The leading middle schools and colleges of Central China were represented.

It is an interesting commentary on the unsettled political conditions of Hunan that this province should send the largest group of students. In spite of floods and battles more than fifty young men are in attendance from Hunan.

Mr. C. C. Nieh and Pastor Ding Li-mei of Shanghai and Bishop Roots of Hankow are among the speakers. Mr. E. M. Hayes of Nanchang is the conference secretary. The meetings will continue for a week, closing on the evening of July 11.

Brazzanovitch Heard In French Mixed Court

Accused Of Complicity In Connection With $21,000 Opium Robbery

Antony Brazzanovitch, an Austrian arrested in connection with the $21,000 opium robbery from the residence of an opium merchant in Frenchtown June 26, was brought up at the French Mixed Court yesterday. Evidence of identification was taken and the accused was remanded in custody for further evidence.

A coolie employed by Chen Yah-kee, the complainant, testified to the effect that the accused had held him with his hands and demanded the keys to the safe and also asked him the whereabouts of the master of the premises. He said that another coolie, Hsia Dao-dao, also saw the accused participate in the robbery. The case was remanded for the appearance of Hsia.

Exchanged Prisoners Won't Be Re-employed

Germany Has Accepted Conditions Of Agreement With Britain And France

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Amsterdam, July 8.—In the Reichstag, the Minister of War, General von Stein, said that Germany had accepted conditions whereby exchanged British, French and German prisoners of war would not be re-employed.

Passengers Arrived

Per N.S. s.s. Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo:—Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Heath.

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo:—Messrs. R. Millicon, W. H. P. Wadman and W. L. Ugdem, and Miss Gloves.

Per L-C. s.s. Luenho from Hankow:—Mrs. A. G. Hill, Mrs. Simplice and Mr. J. B. Shearir.

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Tategami Maru from Japan:—Mr. M. Kurabayashi, Mr. C. Oya, Mrs. and Miss Kurabayashi, Mr. and Mrs. H. Roye, Mrs. E. Suglia, Miss A. Guglia and Mr. P. Shmelkoff.

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Omi Maru from Japan:—Messrs. S. Hattori, J. Mita, S. Awoki, K. Fukushima, K. Fukuda, E. Midzuno, T. Kodama, D. Ito, T. J. F. Moran, Wm. E. Row, E. G. Neff, A. Mirovitsch and Miss M. Mathews.

Sailed from Shanghai

For London, etc.

Kaga Maru	May 31
Hirano Maru	June 25
Yokohama Maru	June 18
Tamba Maru	July 5
Kamakura Maru	July 8

For San Francisco

Korea Maru	June 6
Siberia Maru	June 13
Colombia	June 22
China	June 24
Tenyo Maru	June 27
Vondel	July 4

For Seattle

Suwa Maru	May 19
Fushimi Maru	June 16
Kashima Maru	June 30

For Tacoma:

Arabia Maru	June 12
Africa Maru	June 17

For Marseilles

Saigon Maru	July 1

Provision Prices in Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollars cents at Hongkew market as compiled on July 9, 1918.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	14-20
Mutton	,,	16-20
Pork	,,	25-30
Veal	,,	25-30
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	none
Cod	,,	14-16
Mandarin	,,	30-40
Mackerel	,,	14-16
Pomfret	,,	14-16
Salmon	,,	18-20
Samli	,,	40-50
Soles	,,	14-16
Whitebait	,,	20-25
Game, Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Duck	,,	40-80
Eggs	per doz.	15-17
Fowl	per lb.	20-22
Geese	each	50-$1.00
Hare	,,	none
Partridge	,,	none
Pheasant	,,	none
Pigeons	,,	15-16
Plover	,,	none
Quail	,,	none
Snipe	,,	none
Turkey	per lb.	35-40
Teal	each	none
Wild Duck	,,	none
Wild Pigeons	,,	none
Woodcock	,,	none
Wild Geese	,,	none
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	8-10
Apples	,,	10-12
Bananas	,,	6-8
Cherries	,,	none
Cocoanuts	each	15-18
Chestnuts	per lb.	none
Firs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Lemons	each	14-15
Lichees	per lb.	15-20
Mangoes	each	none
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Melons	each	2-4
Oranges	per lb.	none
Peaches	,,	6-10
Persimmons	,,	none
Peeboes	,,	none
Plums	,,	8-10
Pumeloes	each	15-20
Pineapples	,,	8-10
Pears	per lb.	none
Strawberries	,,	none
Walnuts	,,	10-12
Vegetables		
Artichokes	each	5-6
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
French Beans	per lb.	5-6
Broad Beans	,,	6-8
Beetroot	per bunch	3-3
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Cabbage	each	3-4
Carrots	,,	2-3
Cauliflower	,,	none
Celery	per bunch	2-3
Egg Plant	per lb	5-6
Green Corn	each	1-2
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Mushrooms	per lb.	none
Onions	,,	2-3
Parsnips	per bunch	2-3
Potatoes	per pic.	$1.20-1.40
Peas	per lb.	none
Radishes	per bunch	1-2
Spinach	per lb.	2-3
Tomatoes	,,	5-6
Turnips	per bunch	2-3
Grain and Flour		
Flour American	per 50 lbs.	$3.50
Flour Australian	,,	$4.30
Flour Shanghai	,,	$2.45
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$7.20
Milk		
Foreign dairies	per bottle	20
Chinese dairies	,,	17
Fodder		
Barley	per lbs	$3.65
Bran	,,	1.80
Fuel		
House Coal	per ton Tls.	19.50
Stove Coal	per ton Tls.	21.70
Firewood	per 50 bundles	$1.60
Laundry		
Per 100 articles		$3.00-4.00

F. J. W. Melville,
Chief Inspector

Vessels In Harbor And At Woosung

Date		From	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
June 25	—	Hongkong	Antilochus		
June 11	—	Manila	Bussie Dollar		
June 15	—		Capto		
June 15	—	Japan	Chiyodo Maru	Jap.	
June 18	—	Ningpo	Chinchong	Chi.	San Peh S.N.
June 13	—	Chinwangtao	Fukuken Maru	Jap.	
July 9	—	Japan	Fuji Maru	Jap.	
June 29	—	Chefoo	Feiching	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 11	—	Hankow	Hanping	Chi.	N.Y.P. Iron
June 19	—	Tsingtao	Hokushin Maru	Jap.	S.M.R.
July 8	—	Japan	Harold Dollar	Br.	
June 25	—		Iosco		
June 10	—		Jun Maru	Jap.	
June 10	—	N. S. Island	Kurama Maru	Jap.	
July 9	—	Hankow	Kianghsin	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 15	—		Kaio Maru	Jap.	
July 5	—	Wenchow	Kwangchi	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 26	—	Chinwangtao	Koyo Maru	Jap.	
July 3	—	Japan	Katori Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
June 28	—	Japan	Kanagawa Maru	Jap.	
July 8	—	Hongkong	Kwangtah	Chi.	N.S.N. Co.
July 2	—	Newchwang	Nagata Maru	Jap.	
July 4	—	Japan	Nagasaki Maru	Jap.	
July 8	—	Hankow	Poyang	Br.	B. & S.
June 15	—		Shyoei Maru	Jap.	
June 25	—	Japan	Santien Maru	Jap.	
July 6	—	Japan	Sapporo M. No. 3	Jap.	S. Shokai
July 6	—	Japan	Sapporo M. No. 6	Jap.	S. Shokai
July 9	—	Japan	Santen Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
July 9	—	Hongkong	Suiyang	Br.	B. & S.
July 9	—	Foochow	Taishun	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
June 11	—	Dalny	Talten Maru	Jap.	
June 15	—	Japan	Tategama Maru	Jap.	
June 22	—	Swatow	Taisang	Br.	J.M. & Co.
June 27	—	Hongkon	Tenyo Maru	Jap.	Alexander
July 9	—	Hankow	Tachang Maru	Br.	B. & S.
July 4	—	Singapore	Vondel		
June 17	—	Chinwangtao	Yeiko Maru	Jap.	S. Shokai
July 9	—	Japan	Yekishin Maru	Jap.	

Men-of-War In Port

Section	Date	From	Name	Flag and Rating	Tons	Guns	Man	Commander
ODW	Aug 18	Hankow	D de Lagree	Fr g-b.				
	June 9		Goat	Br g-b.				
8D	June 1	Cruise	Monocacy	Am g-b.	190			McFeater
WTW	Oct. 27	Y'tze	Nightingale	Br. g-b				
OD	May 29	Cruise	Palos	Am g-b.	130	2	46	H. Delano
	June 11	Cruise	Teal	Br g-b.				
8D	May 13	Cruise	Toba	Jap. s-b.				
VTPDW	May 10	Cruise	Woodlark	Br g-b	150	6	80	

Shipping Items

The H.O. s.s. Tehhsing left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Sungkiang left Hongkong for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Sado Maru left Hongkong for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The C.S. s.s. Shuntien left Tientsin for Chefoo, Werhaihai and Shanghai on Tuesday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Nanyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Tuesday.

The I.-C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Taiee Maru left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Sunning will leave Hongkong for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Fengtien will leave Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai today.

The H.O. s.s. Changon will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The I.-C. s.s. Tuckwo will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The N.K.K. s.s. Suiyang Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

Siccawei Weather Reports

9.—Weather still unsettled and showery during the whole morning but gradually improving. The barometers read below the average in our regions. The typhoon of the Pacific progresses WNW towards the South of the Loochoos.

10.—Fine hot weather. Heavy dew and dense mist. Barometer below the average.

Wednesday, July 10, 1918.

Weather	4 A.M.	9 A.M.
Bar. at Centg., mm...	752.33	752.86
Bar. at Centg., inches.	29.62	29.64
Variation for mm 24h	−0.17	−0.52
Variation for mm 12h	†0.60	−0.66
Wind—Direction	ENE	E
Wind—Kilom per hour	10	11
Wind—Miles	6.2	6.8
Temperature—Cen ...	23°1	28°1
Temperature—Fah ...	71.8	82.6
Humidity co:	100	73
Nebulosity 5-10	6	7
Rainfall mm	—	—
Rainfall inches	—	—

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SHANGHAI-NANKING RAILWAY ABRIDGED TIME TABLE

Shanghai North To Nanking—Up (Main Line) Nanking To Shanghai North—Down

STATIONS.	Local	Express R.	Fast R	3rd and 4th	Fast R	Local	Fast Local	Night Express R.S.	STATIONS.	Local	Fast Local	Fast R	3rd and 4th	Fast R.	Express R.	Local	Night Express R.S.
SHANGHAI NORTH.....dep.	..	7.55	9.10	9.40	12.41	15.25	17.15	23.00	PEKING.....dep.	..	..	..	..	..	8.35		..
SOOCHOW.....dep.	..	9.41	11.22	12.20	14.55	18.15	19.21	1.06	TIENTSIN { arr. dep.	..	..	..	..	..	11.40		..
WUSIH.....dep.	..	1.31	12.24	13.41	15.54	19.27	20.21	2.10	CENTRAL { dep.	..	..	..	..	..	12.10		..
CHANGCHOW.....dep	6.50	11.22	13.16	15.03	16.58	..	21.25	3.30	TSINANFU.....dep.	..	..	..	..	..	2.27		..
TANYANG.....dep.	8.15	12.09	14.1'	16.16	17.41	..	..	..	PUKOW.....arr.	..	..	..	..	..	12.56		..
CHINKIANG. dep	9.16	12.52	14.55	17.17	18.22	..	..	5.06									
NANKING.....arr.	11.19	*14.15	16.30	19.2	19.50	..	..	6.50									
									NANKING.....dep.	..	..	7.20	8.00	11.45	*14.20	15.35	23.00
									CHINKIANG.. dep.	..	..	8.00	10.10	13.30	16.00	18.16	1.00
									TANYANG.....dep.	..	..	9.56	10.59	14.12	16.41	19.18	..
PUKOW.....dep.	..	15.30							CHANGCHOW.....dep.	7.00	..	10.34	12.18	16.08	17.39	20.30	3.06
TSINANFU.....dep.	..	8.18							WUSIH.....dep.	8.15	7.10	11.28	13.36	16.00	18.29	..	4.11
TIENTSIN { arr. dep.	..	16.2'							SOOCHOW.....dep.	9.35	8.08	12.23	14.54	17.01	19.21	..	5.12
CENTRAL { dep.	..	16.35							SHANGHAI NORTH.....arr.	12.15	10.15	14.20	17.50	19.00	21.07	..	7.00
PEKING.....arr.	..	19.50															

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Woosung Forts to Shanghai North—Up (BRANCH LINE) Shanghai North to Woosung Forts—Down

WOOSUNG FORTS ..dep.	6.10	8.10	10.50	13.15	14.40	16.20	18.10	19.55	21.37	SHANGHAI NORTH..dep.	6.10	7.30	10.05	12.25	14.00	15.30	17.20	19.10	20.45
KIANGWAN dep	7.17	8.37	11.17	13.42	15.07	16.47	18.37	20.22	21.57	KIANGWAN dep	6.21	7.41	10.16	12.36	14.11	15.41	17.41	19.21	20.56
SHANGHAI NORTH .. arr	7.25	8.45	11.25	13.50	15.15	16.55	18.45	20.30	22.05	WOOSUNG FORTS..arr.	6.45	8.05	10.40	13.00	14.35	16.05	18.05	19.45	21.30

SHANGHAI-HANGCHOW-NINGPO RAILWAY ABRIDGED TIME TABLE

SHANGHAI NORTH TO ZAHKOU—"DOWN" MAIN LINE. ZAHKOU TO SHANGHAI NORTH—"UP"

STATIONS	Local	Fast R	Slow	Goods & Goods	Local	Express R	Local	Local
Shanghai North ..... dep.	....	7.35	9.00	10.00	....	14.50	15.50	...
Jessfield ..... dep.	....	7.51	9.16	10.23	...	15.06	16.06	...
Siccawei ..... dep.	....	7.58	9.23	0.38	....	15.13	16.13	....
Lunghwa Junction ..... dep.	....	8.15	9.40	10.53	....	15.30	16.29	...
Shanghai South ..... dep.	....	*7.45*	*9.10*	*10.20*	*13.35*	*15.00*	*16.00*	*17.55*
Lunghwa Junction ..... dep.	....	*8.15*	*9.40*	*10.53*	*13.52*	*15.30*	*16.29*	*18.12*
Songkiang ..... dep.	....	8.59	10.46	12.02	....	16.07	17.42	....
Kashai ..... dep.	....	9.51	11.52	13.28	....	16.53	18.48	....
Kashing ..... dep.	7.40	10.25	12.30	14.35	....	17.22	19.20	....
Yekzah ..... dep.	8.46	11.05	13.15	15.50	....	17.53	....	....
Changsa ..... dep.	9.45	11.44	14.00	16.50	....	18.24	....	....
Hangchow ..... dep.	11.10	12.59	15.25	18.30	....	19.49	....	..
Zahkou ..... arr.	11.35	13.10	15.50	19.00	....	19.35	....	..

STATIONS	Local	Local	Fast R	Slow	Local	Goods and Goods	Express R	Local
Zahkou ..... dep.	....	....	6.30	7.55	....	9.20	14.10	15.30
Hangchow ..... dep.	...	....	7.00	8.30	...	10.00	14.35	16.05
Changsa ..... dep.	...	....	8.04	9.48	....	11.40	15.20	17.36
Yekzah ..... dep.	....	....	8.41	10.31	....	12.39	15.51	18.40
Kashing ..... dep.	...	7.15	9.28	11.22	....	14.10	16.30	19.30
Kashai ..... dep.	....	7.48	9.53	11.55	....	14.48	16.52	....
Songkiang ..... dep.	....	9.05	10.47	12.59	....	16.08	17.40	....
Lunghwa Junction ..... dep	*8.18*	*10.33*	*11.38*	*14.08*	*15.33*	*17.23*	*18.23*	...
Shanghai South ..... arr.	*8.35*	*10.50*	*11.55*	*14.25*	*15.50*	*17.40*	*18.40*	....
Lunghwa Junction ..... dep.		10.30	11.35	14.08	....	17.18	18.20	....
Siccawei ..... dep.	....	10.39	11.44	14.14	....	17.28	18.28	....
Jessfield ..... dep.		10.46	11.51	14.21	....	17.37	18.36	....
Shanghai North ..... arr.	....	11.00	12.05	14.35	....	17.55	18.50	....

KONZENCHIAO TO ZAHKOU KIANGSHOO BRANCH LINE. ZAHKOU TO KONZENCHIAO

Konzenchiao....	dep.	6.50	8.25	11.25	14.00	15.55	18.35	Zahkou.....	dep.	....	10.10	12.25	...	17.20	....
Kenshangmun ..	dep.	7.10	8.50	11.40	14.15	16.15	18.50	Hangchow.....	dep.	7.30	10.40	12.45	14.55	17.50	19.15
Hangchow.....	dep.	7.20	9.15	11.52	14.24	16.30	19.00	Kenshangmun ..	dep.	7.42	10.57	12.57	15.12	18.07	19.37
Zahkou.....	arr.	....	9.40	12.10	....	16.55	....	Konzenchiao....	arr.	7.55	11.10	13.10	15.25	18.20	19.40

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Shantung District

Postal Notification.

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Tenders are invited for the reinforced concrete work connected with the Tsinan new Post Office building. Intending contractors may obtain plans and specifications from the Architect, Credit Foncier d'Extreme Orient, Tientsin or Shanghai, on payment of a fee of $25.

Tenders for the contract are to be submitted not later than the 28th July to the Credit Foncier d'Extreme Orient, Tientsin, under sealed cover and marked:

"Tender for re-inforced concrete work of the Tsinan Head Office."

Tenders will be opened at Tientsin at 11 a.m. on the 29th July in the presence of the tenderers.

E. TOLLEFSEN,
Postal Commissioner
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Chinese Post Office,
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